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ITALY GIVES TURKEY 3 DAYS TO APOLOGIZE

NEW ORGANIC LAW HELD ONLY TAX EVIL CURE

Experts Deplore System Which Has Driven Capitalists Away.

DEMAND CONVENTION.

Taxpayers in Illinois have only one way to loosen the taxation hobbles—by a constitutional convention—in the opinion of tax law students.

Attorneys, real estate dealers, and householders yesterday deplored the present laws. They described the existing system as double taxation, which has driven men of means from the city, worked an injustice on the taxpayer who schedules all his holdings, and yet failed to supply sufficient revenue for the city and county.

The suggestions of all tax experts interviewed invariably reverted to the demand for a constitutional convention to write a new constitution. Some believed conditions might be remedied by amending the present state constitution, but these same men saw the best tax lotion in the convention. It is considered impossible for the legislature to enact laws which will correct the evils.

Tax Body Head Cites Needs.

This was explained by Attorney John P. Wilson, president of the state tax commission which was appointed six years ago by Gov. Deneen. He said:

"The fundamental difficulty with the tax system of Illinois relates to the taxation of personal property. The constitution of the state requires that taxes, general and local, shall be levied and collected upon all property, real and personal, at a uniform rate, based upon its value.

"This rule cannot be waived or departed from by any act passed by the legislature.

Supreme Court Ruling Cited.

"The Supreme court of this state has held that credits of all kinds, including bonds of municipalities and of corporations, mortgages, all kinds of indebtedness, and bank deposits, are subject to this taxation, and cannot be relieved therefrom under the constitution; also that shares of capital stock of foreign corporations are property subject to this tax, and cannot be relieved therefrom by any act of the legislature.

"The result is in effect double taxation upon both of the classes of property, which in aggregate volume are very large and centered in comparatively few hands, and which in fact produce only a nominal amount of revenue, either local or general.

Double Taxation Illustrated.

"If a corporation pays a tax upon its property and its shares of stock are also taxed, it is evident it is double taxation, because the shares of stock represent only the property owned by the corporation.

"In the case of credits, while it may not be as evident, it is in effect precisely the same.

"If one person sells a horse to another upon credit the amount of property is not thereby increased, but under the law the horse is taxed to the purchaser, and its value is taxed to the seller.

How Stockholders Suffer.

"Take the case of a corporation where the stockholders convert one-half of the stock into bonds. The property of the corporation is not thereby increased, but the corporation is taxed upon all the property and the owners of the bonds are also taxed upon the value of the bonds.

"Under modern conditions and the high rate of taxation it is impossible to collect double taxes. Any attempt to collect double taxes has failed in every state where it has been tried.

"There is only one result of the attempt to enforce this double taxation—the taxpayer either changes his investments, which produce no additional revenue to the state, or changes his residence to a state like New York, where shares of stock are not taxed in any case and credits are subject only to a nominal tax.

Wealthy Residents Leave.

"The agitation in Chicago the last five or six years has resulted in a number of our citizens with large holdings and subject to double taxation under our law changing their residence, and has compelled others to change their investments, to their disadvantage and without benefit to the state, rather than to stand the misrepresentation of being unwilling to make a return or pay their proportionate share of taxes.

"Take a city bond, issued by the city of Chicago at 4 per cent. No citizen of Chicago can invest in such a bond at 4 per cent and pay taxes thereon at the rate of taxation in Chicago, not less

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INSPIRING SPECTACLE IN THE ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE.

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SUFFRAGE CAUSE BREAKS UP HOME

Mrs. Edith De Long Jarmuth, Washington State Leader, Sued for Divorce.

New York, Jan. 7.—[Special.]—Mrs. Edith de Long Jarmuth, a student at Columbia university and one of the best known woman suffragists of the west, who took a leading part in the campaign for woman suffrage in the state of Washington, was sued here today for a divorce on the ground of abandonment by Adolph John Jarmuth, owner of Alaska gold mines, who lives in Seattle.

He alleges his wife's enthusiasm for suffrage has destroyed the domestic side of her nature.

Affidavit Uncovers Suit.

The suit has been brought in the Superior court of Kings county, Washington, but the fact that the papers had been served here was disclosed by an affidavit of service filed in the county clerk's office.

Jarmuth accompanied a process server this afternoon to an apartment occupied by his wife at 1 Arden street, Washington Heights. He pointed out his wife to the process server, and when Mrs. Jarmuth had glanced at the papers she gave her husband a withering glance and said: "Treachery!"

Abandoned in November, 1911.

Mrs. Jarmuth is the daughter of a member of the faculty of the University of Colorado at Bowlder, and the complaint served today states that the couple were married there on March 7, 1905. Jarmuth alleges that his wife abandoned him in November, 1911, at which time he signed an agreement to fit up an apartment for her in New York.

Jarmuth alleges that he provided his wife with an apartment with the understanding that his two grown sons by a former marriage were to live there while attending school here.

Forced His Sons from Home.

Jarmuth alleged that his sons have been compelled to leave their stepmother's apartment because of her conduct.

"She is a woman who has become possessed of pronounced views on woman's rights and kindred subjects," Jarmuth said. He told of her activity in helping in the campaign of the suffrage amendment in Washington, and after the election "she insisted on coming to New York for the purpose of employing her energies in a larger field."

TO 'OPEN' CANAL: $250,000.

President Wilson Asks Congress for Sum for Celebration Next March.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—In a conference late today with Democratic and Republican leaders of congress, President Wilson asked for an appropriation of $250,000 to defray expenses of the celebration planned for opening of the Panama canal next March.

THE WEATHER.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1915.

For Chicago and vicinity: Partly cloudy Friday and Saturday, not much change in temperature, moderate westerly winds, becoming variable. For Illinois: Fair Friday and Saturday without decided temperature change, gentle west winds, becoming variable Saturday.

Sunrise, 7:19; sunset, 4:53. Moonrise, 11:20 p. m.

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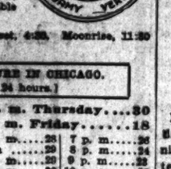

TEMPERATURE IN CHICAGO.
[Last 24 hours.]

Maximum, 2 p. m. Thursday....30
Minimum, 2 a. m. Friday.....18

3 a. m.	27	11 a. m.	28
4 a. m.	28	Noon	29
5 a. m.	28	1 p. m.	29
6 a. m.	24	2 p. m.	30
7 a. m.	24	3 p. m.	29
8 a. m.	25	4 p. m.	30
9 a. m.	26	5 p. m.	29
10 a. m.	28	6 p. m.	27
7 p. m.	26		
8 p. m.	24		
9 p. m.	22		
10 p. m.	22		
11 p. m.	21		
Midnight	20		
1 a. m.	19		
2 a. m.	18		

Mean temperature, 24; normal for the day, 24.
Excess since Jan. 1, 24.
Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., trace.
Deficiency since Jan. 1, .17 inch.
Wind, S. W.; max., 37 miles an hour at 12:10 a. m.
Relative humidity, 7 a. m., 73%; 7 p. m., 66%.
Barometer, sea level, 7 a. m., 29.74; 7 p. m., 29.99.
For official government weather report see page 17.

SHIPPERS ADVICES

Special Forecast for Shipments Within Radius of 500 Miles.

Prepare shipments to reach destinations by Saturday night for temperatures as follows: North and west, zero to 15 above; south and east, 20 above.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

Arrived.	Port.
CAROLYN	New York
JEAN	San Fran.
HILONIAN	San Fran.
MONTOSO	San Fran.
JAVARY	Kobe
ST. HUGO	Dublin
ADRIATIC	Liverpool
MEXICO MARU	Tacoma

Sailed.	Port.
TAMAKA	San Fran.
ZEELAND	Portland, Me.
ROCHAMBEAU	Havre
LAPLAND	Liverpool
SANT ANNA	New York
PANNONIA	New York
UNITED STATES	New York
LYRA	New York
POTSDAM	Rotterdam

MRS. SPOOR-BROOME ILL.

Rushed to Los Angeles on Special Train—Stork's Arrival Is Expected.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—Mr. and Mrs. John A. Spoor of Chicago arrived at Los Angeles from Santa Barbara tonight on a special train with their daughter, Mrs. Thornhill Broome, who is critically ill. She immediately was taken to the Sisters' hospital. Two specialists from San Francisco made the journey with them.

Mrs. Broome was Miss Caryl Spoor before her marriage last February. She is a daughter of the millionaire packer and capitalist, who lives at 1526 North State parkway, Chicago.

The arrival of the stork is said to be expected. Complications developed and Mrs. Broome became critically ill.

Soon after Mrs. Broome's arrival it was said an operation would be performed at once. This may now be avoided.

The wedding of Miss Spoor last February was one of the leading events in Chicago's north side society. The Broomes have a beautiful residence in Santa Barbara.

'TOMMY ATKINS' CAUGHT ELOPING

British Soldier Comes to Chicago, Takes Neighbor's Wife; Both Arrested.

Dressed in the uniform of a British soldier, Roy Weddell was arrested last night at the Dearborn station while attempting to elope with Mrs. Winifred Holpin of 2021 Lane court. The woman's husband, Percy Holpin, is engineer at the Francis Parker school.

Weddell left Chicago last September and went to London, Ont., where he joined the Eighteenth battalion of the Second Canadian contingent. His regiment is scheduled to sail for England in a few days.

At the South Clark street police station Weddell and Mrs. Holpin embraced each other and had to be torn apart. The wife of Weddell and the husband of the woman who is infatuated with "Tommy Atkins" were present at the love scene. Both of them buried their faces in their hands and wept.

Pledges Love Till Death.

"I love you, Winifred, and I shall never love another woman," said the soldier-clad Lothario.

"Yes, dearest Roy," the woman replied, "and I shall never love any other than you. You are my very, very, own little 'Tommy Atkins.'"

Holpin and Winifred Brighton were schoolmates in the village of Tytherington, Gloucestershire, England. They were sweethearts before they knew the meaning of the word, and when they grew older they became engaged. Holpin left England six years ago and came to Chicago. He made two or three trips back home to see his sweetheart, and in August, 1913, they were married.

Home Near the Weddells.

On their arrival in Chicago they went to live in Bissell street. Roy Weddell and his wife were neighbors and friends. Mrs. Weddell has a 13 year old daughter by a former marriage.

In the presence of his wife Weddell told the police that he was in love with Mrs. Holpin from the first time he saw her. She voiced the same sentiment.

Christmas day Weddell arrived in Chicago from Ontario, having been granted a furlough. He went to the home of the Holpins, where his wife had been staying since he enlisted, and spent a Merry Christmas with them. They had punch, and this is the toast that Weddell gave:

"'Ere's to the woman in 'ose company I 'ave spent the 'appiest moments of my life."

The 13 year old daughter of Mrs. Weddell confided to Holpin last evening that her stepfather and Mrs. Holpin had planned to elope. She had carried a note, she said, from Mrs. Holpin to Weddell.

Holpin was at the Dearborn station with Lieut. Russell when his wife and her soldier laddie arrived, ten minutes before the departure of a Grand Trunk train for Canada. Mrs. Weddell also was at the railroad depot.

Pretty Soft for This Policeman? But It's "Duty"

Gets Detailed to Escort Schoolma'am to and from Her Work.

SHE ASKS FOR GUARD

To the occasional residents along Western avenue, from Sixty-ninth street to Seventy-ninth street, it may seem a bit romantic to see the pair of them, the tall, blue clad policeman, with gleaming brass buttons and shining "billy," school books under his arm, and the young school teacher. Every morning they will be seen together, going to school. Every afternoon they will be seen returning as regularly as "pulling the box."

Romantic? Not at all. It's a mere matter of duty for the policeman. He is doing it on orders of the chief. And the school teacher is merely failing back on the protective agencies of the city in passing through a more or less unfrequented and perilous section of the city.

Teaches City "District School."

She is Miss Edna Z. Juchhoff, a teacher in branch No. 1 of the Raster school. The school consists of one portable, a "district school" in the city limits, at Seventy-ninth street and Western avenue. It cares for about forty children of several grades in the section of the city called Forest Hill.

The policeman is Charles Godfrey of the Englewood station. Beginning today he will meet Miss Juchhoff at the corner of Western avenue and Sixty-ninth street at 8:30 a. m. He will make it part of his beat to escort her to school a little more than a mile south. At 3 in the afternoon he will be waiting on the steps of the school, and together they will return to Sixty-ninth street.

Asked Miss Young for Escort.

Miss Juchhoff told Supt. Ella Flagg Young of the dangers of the journey, and the arrangement for her protection followed. Chief of Police Gleason wrote to the board of education yesterday, promising to have a policeman accompany Miss Juchhoff. The school teacher wrote as follows to Mrs. Young:

"When we were discussing my appointment I did not realize the dangers to a woman going alone from the car to the school. As I told you, I am not easily frightened, but I feel that the fear of attack by tramps from the railroad yards and men coming out of the saloons along the way, who make a practice of calling to every woman passing, is making me nervous and will, if continued, not only decrease my efficiency but impair my health."

The murder of Ida Leggeon, a nurse, about a year and a half ago, took place not far from the district through which Miss Juchhoff passes.

WALKS OVER "L" TRACKS TO SAVE TIME; NEVER AGAIN

Candy Salesman from St. Louis Learns a Lot About Third Rails in Mighty Short Time.

Emil Wamsgans, candy maker and violin player of St. Louis, had his first experience with elevated roads and third rails yesterday, and it shocked him to such an extent that he left for the Mound city last night, vowing to keep away from Chicago hereafter.

In search of new customers, Emil came to Chicago, and had occasion to use the elevated road. He climbed to the Franklin street station on West Van Buren street, but learned he was on the wrong side to go to his destination.

The ticket seller informed him he would have to go down and climb up to the platform on the opposite side of the tracks. Emil thought it easier to go straight across, and before the agent had time to warn him he was tramping over ties and third rails. Suddenly he leaped into the air, candy boxes flying in all directions, and came down in the middle of the track in a sitting posture. Greatly shaken, he crawled the rest of the way across, where he was helped to the platform. Rubbers which he wore are supposed to have saved his life.

DAVID R. FORGAN AND WIFE SHAKEN IN AUTO COLLISION.

Car Skidding on Icy Road Hits Banker's Machine—Both Motors Are Partly Wrecked.

Mr. and Mrs. David R. Forgan of 1113 Greenwood boulevard, Evanston, and their chauffeur, Charles Smith, were shaken up but were uninjured last night when their automobile and one owned by Burr A. Kennedy of 5720 Sheridan road, former commissioner of Lincoln park, collided in Stockton drive in Lincoln park.

Mr. Forgan, president of the National City bank, and his wife, were being driven to their home when the accident happened.

Both Mr. Forgan and Mr. Kennedy said the accident was unavoidable.

ADOPT CHICAGO PLAN FOR U. S. AID TO JOBLESS

Alien Bureaus in Other Cities Will Help the Unemployed.

BY OFFICIAL ORDER.

The United States government has taken an advanced step toward relieving the unemployment situation. As a result of the experiment of starting an employment bureau in the Chicago immigration station, Commissioner General Caminetti, head of the immigration bureau of the department of labor, announced in Washington yesterday that the plan will be extended today to include all immigration offices in the country.

The purpose of the plan is to bring together the unemployed and the employer in need of employés. Information has reached officials of the immigration bureau that labor is in demand in certain portions of the middle west and other parts of the country.

Where U. S. Steps In.

There is a question of distribution. Here is where the employment offices of the government will step in and be of service. Heretofore only the immigration stations of Chicago, New York, and New Orleans had employment office adjuncts and the Chicago office was the only one in which all kinds of labor could be applied for and supplied. In the other two stations only farm labor was taken care of.

Commissioner Caminetti announced that he will issue an order today instructing the chief immigration inspectors in all nineteen districts in the country to take care not only of farm labor, but of unemployment of all kinds.

"We are going to do everything we can to reduce unemployment in Chicago and other large centers," said Commissioner Caminetti in an interview in Washington. "We propose to take what is considered an advanced step, but we believe it will be justified.

Co-operate with Employers.

"We are going to convert the immigration stations into employment agencies, so to speak, and to this end the inspectors in charge will be given instructions to cooperate in every way with railroads and industrial establishments which need labor and with laborers who need employment."

Dr. P. L. Prentis, inspector in charge of the Chicago immigration station, said his office already has taken steps to acquaint railroads and large industrial establishments, including department stores, with the fact that the government is ready to aid in supplying help. Through the efforts of Dr. Prentis the Chicago immigration station was the first to include all kinds of labor in the work of the local employment office.

Pleases Dr. Prentis.

"I am glad to know that the commissioner has taken steps to include the entire immigration service in the work of relieving the unemployment problem," Dr. Prentis said. "We have been operating for several months. It is still in an experimental stage, but we hope to do good work in the direction intended.

"We have many applications on file and we endeavor to supply employers as soon as requisitions are made. The greatest difficulty we have had so far is the problem of transportation."

Immigration inspectors all over the country will be instructed to use extreme care to prevent the sending of men to localities where strikes or labor disturbances exist or are threatened, or to places where wages and working conditions would be disturbed by a large influx of workers.

August Einfeldt, president of the Oak Park board of trustees, notified the Nineteenth Century club that all unemployed men who apply to the village board will be given work. Dr. Frances Chapman called on him in behalf of the club in regard to the problem of men begging at the back doors.

FOES PLAY FOOTBALL GAME.

German and British Soldiers Celebrate Christmas This Way, Then Continue Truce.

BERLIN, via London, Jan. 7.—The German army authorities have issued a general order prohibiting in the future troops in the field from fraternizing with forces of the enemy as they did at several points in the western theater of the war at Christmas.

To such an extent was this fraternizing carried out that at one place where the Germans and British played football Christmas day they agreed to suspend hostilities for two days more.

Judge K. M. Landis Gives Friend Term in Federal Prison

Deaf to Leniency Pleas in Dickerman Case at Springfield.

RIFLED U. S. MAIL

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 7.—Ralph V. Dickerman, member of a wealthy family long prominent in Illinois, who as cashier of the Springfield postoffice rifled the mails, today pleaded guilty in the United States District court and was sentenced to eighteen months at hard labor in the federal prison at Fort Leavenworth.

He was sentenced after influential counsel, acknowledged by the court from the bench as strong personal friends, had pleaded to modify the charge to a misdemeanor and so save their client and friend from a prison term.

Judge Landis Deaf to Pleas.

In reply to their petitions, Federal Judge K. M. Landis of Chicago asserted if he "permitted this friendship to influence me, even the members of the family would despise and ridicule me for my action."

Judge Landis came to Springfield to relieve Judge J Otis Humphrey, now in Chicago, who recommended Dickerman for his position in the postoffice.

Maj. Buford Wilson, president of the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis railroad, whose daughter married Dickerman, and W. A. Northcutt, former district attorney here, were among those who appealed for leniency.

Friend of Dickerman Family.

In connection with Mr. Northcutt's request that the charge be reduced, Judge Landis inquired whether he had taken this attitude when he was United States district attorney. Mr. Northcutt said he had tried to settle the case on this basis in an informal manner, but that he had taken no official action, as the records of the court would show.

"I am a personal friend of the Dickerman family and value this friendship highly," asserted Judge Landis, in pronouncing sentence. "But were I to let this enter into the consideration of the case, I am certain even members of the family would despise and ridicule me.

"Mr. Northcutt, a personal friend for years, in his sober moments, I think, will regret the plea which he has made, especially were I to take heed of it and act accordingly. I see my duty very clearly under the statute."

Called Mentally Deficient.

Three physicians testified Dickerman was subject to hereditary headaches, and that he was mentally and morally deficient.

In presenting the evidence the district attorney said about 500 letters had been stolen from the mails here during the eighteen months prior to Dickerman's arrest.

Postal inspectors said Dickerman, because of his high position in the postoffice, aided them in their investigations and cast suspicion upon mail carriers and clerks.

BRITAIN TO PAY DAMAGES FOR KILLING U. S. HUNTER.

Waives Question of Liability in Shooting of Two Men Near Fort Erie on Canadian Border.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, notified Secretary Bryan today that the British government, without deciding the question of liability, was planning to pay damages to the family of Walter Smith, the American killed recently by Canadian militiamen while hunting near Fort Erie, and to Charles Dersch, who was wounded at the same time.

SEES ROUMANIA IN THE WAR.

Paris Correspondent of London Post Says U. S. Will Take Charge of Interests.

(By Cable to the Chicago Tribune.)

LONDON, Jan. 8, 3 a. m.—The Morning Post's Paris correspondent says that he has private information that definite arrangements have been made by which the United States will take charge of Roumanian interests in Berlin and Vienna, and adds: "This obviously can mean but one thing."

U.S. CONSUL GERMAN CAPTIVE

London Daily Mail Says Britisher Representing America Is a Prisoner.

(By Cable to the Chicago Tribune.)

LONDON, Jan. 8, 3 a. m.—The Daily Mail says one British civilian interned in the concentration camp at Ruhleben is Mr. Mummenhoff, for many years American vice consul general in Hamburg. He occupied that position when arrested, the paper says.

AUSTRIA FEARS INVASION; WILL FORTIFY CITIES

Youth Called to Prepare Vienna and Budapest for Siege.

RUSH DEFENSE WORK.

War News of Last 24 Hours

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY prepares for Russian invasion; all young men called out to build fortifications about Vienna and Budapest.

GERMANS assume offensive against allies' lines; claim gains at various points, but foes insist all attacks have been repulsed.

PRESIDENT WILSON declares he will back up Hague treaties to which the United States is signatory and prevent sale of dumdum bullets to belligerent nations.

FIRST reply from Great Britain on President Wilson's shipping protest may be sent today; a more extensive answer will be forwarded later.

BULLETIN.

(By Cable to The Chicago Tribune.)

ROME, Jan. 7.—Italy has fixed Jan. 10 as the time limit for Turkey to apologize formally for the Hodeida incident or suffer the consequences. Italy will not be satisfied unless the reparation includes the release of the British consul who was seized in the Italian consulate, the punishment of the violators of the consulate, and a military salute to the flag.

Unless this reparation is made relations of the two governments will become of the utmost delicacy.

(By Cable to the Chicago Tribune.)

VIENNA, Jan. 7.—The Austro-Hungarian government believes that Grand Duke Nicholas, commander in chief of the Russian armies, contemplates a sweeping invasion with Vienna and Budapest as the objectives.

The fears of the government were indicated today through orders for all young men not yet liable to military service, between the ages of 18 and 19, to report at the two capitals. It is stated that these youths will be employed in constructing fortifications and intrenchments about the two principal cities of the dual empire.

Further indication of the perturbation of the government is evidenced by the requisitioning of great quantities of foodstuffs and fuel. These supplies are being stored as fast as they can be brought in from the surrounding country. Thus it is indicated that the government is preparing as a last resort to withstand a siege of the two capitals by the Russian forces.

Reverses of Armies Are Known.

While official reports of the struggle between the Russian and Austro-Hungarian armies have been guarded for the last few days, it is becoming known in official circles that the Austrian armies have been fighting a losing battle in the Carpathian mountains and that the Russian vanguard is descending the southern slopes to the plains of Hungary. It is practically admitted that the Russians have seized most of the mountain passes between Galicia and Hungary, have overrun the crown land of Bukowina, and even now are invading Transylvania, the easternmost province of Hungary.

Heretofore the greatest fear of invasion by the Russians has been manifested by the Hungarians, but with the calling out of the youth by the government today Austrians and Hungarians alike are realizing the serious situation.

Discontent Grows in Hungary.

LONDON, Jan. 8, 3 a. m.—The Morning Post prints an article by an unnamed Hungarian deputy, dated Budapest, Jan. 1, which confirms the previous articles in this paper from another Hungarian informant in reference to the hatred of this country against Austria and Germany, and general discontent with the war. He says:

"Thousands of Hungarians at this moment think of nothing except independence. Everybody knows that a better occasion to shake off the Austrian yoke will never occur."

In spite of this declaration the corre-

spondent tells nothing to indicate a definite movement towards this end. He declares that the people generally do not know anything about the war, except through censorship, which suppresses everything unfavorable to Austria and Germany.

Keep On Announcing Victories.

The official reports persistently announce victories at both fronts. Even the deputies of the independent parties are not aware of the true situation. The deputy says:

"The day when they see this clear there will be a national awakening. This will break with a violent explosion all ties which for such a long time have been opposing the country's freedom."

Italian Ultimatum to Austria.

TURIN, Jan. 7.—The newspaper Stampa says that the Italian government has demanded from Austria an explanation and prompt reparation for the arrest of four Italian subjects at Belgrade who have been held as hostages.

TURKS CLAIM VICTORIES.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—An official Turkish statement received in London from Constantinople by way of Amsterdam reads as follows:

"Our troops advanced from Samoi and Bajirons and occupied Urza, an important Russian point of support.

"Four thousand Russians have been completely vanquished near Mianrah, losing 200 men killed, while the Turks, who were aided by the Persians, lost six men.

"In fighting near Urumiah, Azerbaijan province, Persia, two detachments of Russian troops were taken prisoner and 100 men were killed. As a result of the reverse of Urumiah the Russian morale has been broken.

"After an indecisive battle Tuesday between Russian and Turkish fleets the Russians sank an Italian merchant ship, although it was flying the Italian flag."

SIEGE BEFORE WARSAW.

BY PERCIVAL GIBBONS.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

ZYRARDOW, Poland, Jan. 3, by Courier to Petrograd.—The lines of the trenches the positions of which I am able to observe from here are those extending south from Sochaczew to a point west of Mszczonow.

The chief German efforts are being directed against the center of this line. They have made a concentration of their best troops opposite the Russian positions west of the village of Guzow, against the trenches of the second army, at a point where an army corps of Russian veterans have turned their position into an earthen fortress.

Here within the last few days the Germans have brought up guns of all but the largest caliber, and generally have displayed considerable increases in their artillery.

Losses of Germans Enormous.

Here also their infantry attacks, those tragic and wasteful assaults in force which send so many thousand German bodies down the streams of the Rawka and the Bzura to the Vistula and so home, are most intense. The armies are facing each other across their breastworks at a distance varying from 200 to 300 yards.

I watched the shelling from the headquarters of a regiment which was occupying a trench in the center of the front line. It was impossible to approach the trench during daylight, but when the early darkness came down the attempt was skillfully made.

Throughout the journey the Germans were firing rockets. A slow green ball of fire ascends as gradually into the air as a loaded balloon. It seems to poise aloft for a moment and then sinks slowly to earth, lighting the country around with a ghastly green illumination. Each rocket is followed by prompt fire from the field batteries and spurts of rifle fire.

Russia Celebrating Christmas.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 7.—Russia today is celebrating Christmas. War's shadow has failed to darken the customary holiday spirit. The Christmas celebration officially lasts three days, but is often prolonged by festivities well beyond New Year's, during which time business is suspended and the stores are closed.

As in other places in Europe, the war has interfered to some extent with the Christmas customs in Russia, such as feasting and drinking, which suffer from the rigid enforcement of the prohibition laws and the difficulty in importing fruits and dainties. Oranges and apples were selling at 25 cents each.

Children Sing in Streets.

On the streets today children gathered around blazing fires and sang Christmas carols, and bustling parcel laden crowds exchanged greetings. All day the streets were lined with people on the way to the principal cathedrals for observance of the religious rites.

The American hospital gave a reception and concert for wounded soldiers.

SEIZE HARVARD EMPLOYE FOLLOWING DEATH OF GIRL.

Bookkeeper of Co-operative Society and Nurse in Custody of Police—To Question Boston Doctor.

Arlington, Mass., Jan. 7.—The death today of Miss Irene Richardson, daughter of George McK. Richardson, town auditor, was followed tonight by the arrest of William J. Hyde, a bookkeeper at the Harvard Cooperative society, Cambridge, and Mrs. Marie Hanson, a nurse, as accessories before and after the fact, respectively. State and local police said they wished to question a Boston physician with offices in the Back Bay district, whose name Miss Richardson gave to two other physicians.

U.S. WARNS LETTER WRITERS

Burleson Says 2 Cent Postage Does Not Apply to Australia and New Zealand.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—Postmaster General Burleson today directed postmasters to give the widest publicity possible to the fact that the 2 cent letter postage rate does not apply to Australia and New Zealand.

The failure to affix a 5 cent stamp requires collection of double the deficient postage upon the delivery of short paid letters.

The only destinations to which the 2 cent letter rate applies are the Bahamas, Canada, Cuba, Mexico, republic of Panama, New Foundland, the Canal Zone, Germany (by direct steamers only), England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland, and the city of Shanghai, China.

British Foreign Trade Loss Big.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The effect of the war on England's foreign trade was shown in a striking manner in the yearly returns of the board of trade, announced today. Exports in 1914 decreased more than $473,000,000, as compared with the preceding year. Imports decreased more than $235,000,000.

GERMANS BATTER LINES OF ALLIES; CLAIM PROGRESS

French Report Disputes Gains, Insisting All Attacks Have Been Repulsed.

(By Cable to the Chicago Tribune.)

PARIS, Jan. 7.—The Germans appear to have assumed the offensive in the region of Lassigny, in the Argonne, from La Four de Paris to Varennes, near Verdun, and on the ridge that dominates Steinbach.

These attacks, which are described as violent, have been repulsed, the French official announcement tonight says.

The afternoon report announces the captury of a portion of the German first line trenches in the Woevre district to the northwest of Flirey.

This advance derives its importance from the fact that it indicates the French are making inroads into the German triangular position, the apex of which rests on the right bank of the River Meuse, at St. Mihiel.

Covers Wednesday's Fighting.

The French official announcement says:

"During the day of Jan. 6 there occurred, from the sea to the Lys, nothing other than artillery fighting, in which we had almost always the advantage. Our batteries put to flight certain German aviators who were coming in the direction of Dunkirk, and they compelled a cessation of the fire of German mine throwers in the reigon of Zillebeke.

"The enemy bombarded violently the head of the Belgian bridge to the south of Dixmude.

"In the region of Lille we repulsed with success a violent German attack on one of our trenches. This trench, in the beginning lost by us, was recaptured with great brilliancy and by the exploding of mines we demolished a portion of the German field works.

Important Advance in Woevre.

"In the Woevre district the advance made by us to the northwest of Flirey is more important than was at first taken to be the case. We made ourselves masters of a portion of the enemy's first line.

"We have made progress in the direction of Altkirch by occupying the forests situated four kilometers [two and one-half miles] to the west of this town. Our heavy artillery reduced to silence that of the enemy.

"During all the day of Jan. 6 the enemy bombarded the hospital at Thann."

Germans Claim Progress.

BERLIN, Jan. 7.—The German official communication on the progress of the war given out in Berlin this afternoon reports that further advances have been made by the Germans in the western part of the forest of Argonne and that desperate fighting is going on to the north of Arras. French attacks in the eastern portion of the Argonne forest and to the west of Sennheim (Cernay) in Alsace, the statement says, were repulsed.

The following official announcement on the progess of the war was given out in Berlin today:

"In the western arena of the war the English and the French continue to destroy Belgian and French villages behind our front; this they do by bombardment.

Gain in the Argonne.

"In the western part of the forest of Argonne we made further progress. The attacks which were delivered Jan. 5 in the eastern part of the Argonne, not far from Courte Chaussee, advanced as far as our trenches, but the enemy was driven back from our positions all along the line with heavy losses. Our casualties were comparatively slight.

"To the west of Sennheim (Cernay) the French again attempted last night to obtain possession of the height called 'Hill 425.' Their attack broke down under our fire and the height remained in our possession."

FRENCH LOSSES 1,000,000; RUSS CASUALTIES 2,000,000.

Germans Make Public Allies' Admissions of War's Heavy Cost in Dead, Injured, and Captured.

BERLIN, Jan. 7.—Included in the budget of news given out today by the official press bureau were the following items:

"The correspondent at Brussels of the Kreuz Zeitung asserts that it is admitted in French official circles that the losses in the French army up to Dec. 20 were about 1,000,000 men, of whom 20,000 were officers.

"The Paris Matin estimates that the Russian losses in killed and wounded up to Dec. 23 number 1,750,000, but as the Germans have captured more than 300,000 Russians and the Austrians have taken 200,000, the Russian casualties must exceed 2,000,000."

Lipton Aids Servian Wounded.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Jan. 7.—Sir Thomas Lipton has lent his steam yacht, the Erin, for the use of the Servian and Montenegrin wounded. He will accompany the expedition in person and asks for assistance in stores and money.

Christmas Holidays Saw Heavy Fighting Between Allied Armies and the Germans

PARIS, Jan. 7.—The following statement from an eyewitness of the events which took place recently in the war theater from Arras to Reims was made public tonight by the official press bureau:

"It was in the region of Arras, and especially in the vicinity of Carency, that the fighting occurred. On Dec. 25, in the evening, our trenches had reached the first houses of the village. On the 24th we already had been progressing to the south of Carency and to the south of Souche.

"On the 27th, between the southern section of Carency and the wood of Perthnoval, we took about 2,400 feet of the enemy's trenches, besides a trench to the east and another one to the south of these positions.

German Attack Beaten Off.

"The Germans, after a spirited defense, made a counter attack, but our infantry remained firm and maintained their first line within 100 meters of the German position. Our artillery prevented the enemy from proceeding with their intrenching work.

"We also made progress at Loos, where we advanced 750 feet, Dec. 31, then near Vermes on Jan. 2, and at St. Laurent on Jan. 3.

"In the wood of Perthnoval Dec. 30 our men were in water and mud knee deep, and sometimes even waist deep.

Allies Take German Guns.

"The period from Dec. 25 to Jan. 5 was not marked by any action of great importance. Our attack on La Bassee on Dec. 24 reported in our last communication was well directed. Our troops captured four mitrailleuses and about 100 prisoners. They have brought their trenches to within thirty metres of the German trenches and have held out in spite of fierce attacks. On Dec. 25 and 27 several German officers were killed. The Germans had prepared their attacks by concentrating much artillery on that spot. This, however, was unavailing.

"Some actions took place in the region of Lihons, where some trenches were lost and then retaken. On the 26th there were encounters between opposing miners. Our artillery nearly always had the advantage over the enemy.

Teuton Trenches Blown Up.

"Our guns destroyed the enemy's trenches in the vicinity of La Bassee, and in addition an observatory and a mine thrower. At Beuvraignes our artillery silenced the German batteries on the road from Albert to Peronne.

"In the Aisne valley there was almost nothing but artillery encounters which often turned to our advantage.

"On the 26th, to the north of Soissons, we made some large breaches in the enemy's wire entanglements. The Germans endeavored to repair their works. We let them start, but then we opened fire and all of their workers were killed. The same day we smashed a quick firer and a battery in the forest of Quriscamp, and in addition a mortar to the north of Vingre.

"On the 27th we destroyed some quick firer dugouts on the plateau of Nouvron, and on the 29th leveled some trenches near Crouy.

"On Jan. 2 we destroyed some works on the plateau of Touvnt. On the first instant, the Germans having exploded a mine, our infantry, in spite of the surprise, sprang forward and occupied the crater in advance of the Germans. There they remained despite several fierce attacks.

"Thence to Verdun and from the east of Reims to the north of Prunay there took place from Dec. 19 to Dec. 22 some fighting to which it is well to refer again in the light of the statements received since the last communication.

"In these four days we advanced from 1,800 to 2,100 feet in the direction of La Berthonnerie in spite of numerous difficulties. In this same region on Dec. 30, near the farm of Algera, the Germans succeeded in blowing up one of our trenches.

"They attacked at once, but our troops, by a counter attack with the bayonet, put them to flight. Seventy Germans were killed. We at once reorganized our trenches, which had been upset by the explosion.

Truce Ruse a Failure.

"On Christmas day the Germans came from their trenches, shouting, 'A two days' truce!' This was a ruse which did not succeed. A volley from us immediately sent them to the ground.

"In the region of Perthes-Les-Hurlus, Mesnil-les-Hurlus, and Beauejour the operations met with some new successes. We repulsed all the enemy's counter attacks and extended considerably our previous gains."

GERMANS DENY MERCIER ARREST

Declare No Priests Are Detained; Silent on Cardinal's Printer.

THE HAGUE, Netherlands, Jan. 7.—The German military government in Belgium today characterized the report published in the Amsterdam Tjid that Cardinal Mercier, archbishop of Malines, had been arrested, as absolutely false.

The cardinal has neither been detained in the bishop's palace at Malines nor placed under police surveillance of any sort, the official statement says. It also is denied that any priests have been arrested.

The denial is silent on the case of Dessain, the printer, who published the cardinal's Christmas pastoral letter, but it is understood the story concerning him also is a fabrication.

The Germans are said to take the position that at this time the point whether they are the legal or the illegal rulers of Belgium is not at issue, and, consequently, there will be no action on their part.

Here Is Mercier's Letter.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The much discussed paragraphs of the pastoral letter of Cardinal Mercier, which the Netherlands newspaper Tjid said had been responsible for his arrest at the hands of the German military authorities in Belgium, an arrest which the German authorities have categorically denied, have been published in pamphlet fown in London. They are as follows:

"I consider it an obligation of my pastoral charge to define your duties of conscience toward the power which has invaded our soil and which at this moment occupies a greater part of it. That power has no authority in law. In the sanctuary of your soul you owe it neither esteem nor attachment nor obedience.

King Sole Legal Power.

"The sole legal power in Belgium is that which is derived from our king, our government, and the representatives of the nation. This alone for us represents authority; this alone has a right to the affections of our hearts and to our submission.

"Of themselves the acts of those in occupation are without force; but the legal authority ratifies tacitly those acts which are justified in the general interest and from this ratification alone they derive all their judicial worth.

"The occupied provinces of Belgium are not conquered provinces. Belgium is no more a German province than Galicia is a Russian province. Nevertheless the occupied part of our country is confronted by a situation to which it must submit. The greater number of our towns have been handed over to the enemy; they must respect the conditions of their surrender.

"Leave Defense to Army."

"From the beginning of military operations the civil authorities have insistently recommended that private persons abstain from acts of hostility against the armed enemy. These recommendations are still in force. Our army alone is charged with the duty of national defense. Let us know how to await at its hands the final deliverance—let us comfort ourselves as the general interest demands. Let us respect the regulations they (the Germans) impose on us so long as they do not attack our liberty of Christian conscience or the dignity of our patriotism."

Pinchots to War Zone.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 7.—Gifford Pinchot, former chief forester of the United States, and his wife, will sail from New York next Saturday to assist Mr. Pinchot's sister, Lady Allan-Johnston, in her work of establishing a hospital in the war zone.

BIG GUNS' ROAR DRIVES MEN MAD

Soldiers Go at Each Other with Bayonets or for Throats.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—Europe's war is converting hundreds of men into raving maniacs, according to Maj. J. J. Dickinson of the state department, who recently saw fighting in the trenches near Soissons.

"They don't fire at each other," he said, "but the din of artillery directed at the covered trenches is positively maddening. Now and then I saw men jump out of the trenches and go at each other with bayonets or in a mad rush for each others' throats.

"From my position from trenches a little behind the actual firing line I saw hundreds of men brought back. They did not seem to be wounded. They were screaming, raving maniacs, driven insane by that maddening roar of artillery overhead."

SENATOR BURTON OF OHIO SHIP PURCHASE BILL FOE.

Assails Measure as a Dangerous Experiment in Government Ownership—Would Lose Money.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—Opening the Republican fight against the government ship purchase bill, Senator Burton of Ohio today assailed the measure as a dangerous experiment in government ownership, and asserted that it would open the way to building up of privileged interests.

The Ohio senator talked for several hours after Senator Fletcher, in charge of the measure, had succeeded over persistent opposition in bringing it squarely before the senate for discussion.

Even the advocates of the bill, Senator Burton insisted, believe the government ships would be operated at a loss, and, he argued, that to believe those ships ever could be disposed of and the government retire from the business without a tremendous loss on the original investment as well as the deficit of operation is folly.

BUYER FOR ASTOR PAPERS.

Pall Mall Gazette and Observer Change Hands—Price Believed to Be $500,000.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The sale of William Waldorf Astor's Pall Mall Gazette and Observer, which it was announced some time ago would be made, has been concluded. There is reason to believe that the price was $500,000. This, it is understood, is less than the amount which Mr. Astor recently has subscribed to the patriotic funds.

New Ruling on Passports.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—All passports issued by the state department at Washington will in the future have to be vised by the American embassy in London if the traveler passes through London.

AGREES TO BAR ABSINTHE SALE

French Cabinet Approves Measure for Permanent Prohibition.

PARIS, Jan. 7.—The cabinet has approved a measure for submission to parliament making permanent the prohibition of the sale of absinthe and other similar liquors.

The government finds that the military decree forbidding absinthe has benefited the population.

The cabinet also has approved a bill which provides that no licenses shall be issued to new establishments for the sale of spirituous liquors unless accessory to a restaurant.

WOMEN PEACE ADVOCATES GATHERING IN WASHINGTON.

Miss Mary McDowell, Chicago, Arrives with Vanguard for Meeting of Saturday and Sunday.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—Miss Mary McDowell of Chicago arrived today with the advance guard of women from all parts of the country who are gathering in Washington to attend the conference to be held Saturday and Sunday in the interest of constructive peace.

The program to be discussed will follow the lines suggested by Mrs. Pethick Lawrence of London, England, and emphasis will be laid on such features as the manufacture of armament by the government, the enforcement of the decisions of The Hague conference, and the development among the people generally of a realization of the futility of war.

Miss Jane Addams will preside and Mrs. Louis F. Post of Chicago, wife of the assistant secretary of labor, will deliver the principal address at the Saturday evening session.

The Chicago delegation will include Mrs. H. M. Wilmarth, Mrs. William Bross Lloyd, Mrs. Edgar Martin, Miss Florence Holbrook, Mrs. Frank Lillie, Mrs. Bertram Sippy, Miss Susanna Cocroft, and Mrs. George F. Whicher.

BELGIAN SOLDIER'S FAMILY IS MURDERED IN CANADA.

Wife and Three Children Found Strangled in Bed at Montreal—No Clew to Slayer.

Montreal, Que., Jan. 7.—Mrs. Robert Van Looy, wife of a Belgian reservist, now in Europe, and her three children were found strangled to death at their home here today. There is no clew to the murderer.

The police, who broke in the doors of the house, found the woman and her children in bed.

Apparently they had been dead for two days, and the police thought the attack had been made upon them as they slept.

PROVED GERMAN ATROCITIES TRUE, FRANCE'S CLAIM

Investigators Complete Report, Charging Pillage, Ravishing, and Murder.

PARIS, Jan. 7.—The commission appointed on Sept. 23 to inquire into accusations that German officers had acted "savagely and inhumanly" against French civilians and soldiers says in its report made public today by the French cabinet:

"We must conclude that there never has been a war between civilized nations of so savage and ferocious a character as that waged upon our soil by our implacable adversary. Pillage, ravishing, burning, murder are ordinary practices of our enemies, and facts collected in many cases prove that the German claims that the killing of civilians was due to firing of the population are unfounded.

Find Town Burning System.

"We found proof of the existence in the German army not only of a systematic plan for burning villages but the possession of elaborate material for this purpose, including torches, grenades, fuses, oil sprayers, sticks of inflammable matters and sacks of tablets composed of very inflammable compressed powder."

The commission affirms that it has distinguished carefully between fires caused by bombardments and those said to have been set by hand when no fighting was in progress. It is stated that the object was to intimidate the population, thus spreading terror and panic ahead of the invaders.

Say Girls Were Victimized.

"Ravishing of women and girls were so frequent that the number of cases established was only a small part of those which might have been investigated," the commission says. "The victims of these odious acts generally refused to testify, because it would compromise their future."

The cabinet has been withholding the report of the commission because, it is said, it did not desire further to excite public feeling. It was only upon the demand of Georges Clemenceau, the former premier, and others that the cabinet decided to make public the report.

The conclusions of the commissions form about twenty newspaper columns. They review in detail instances which, the commission says, were established under oath from witnesses examined under the usual form of judicial procedure.

FRENCH AT LAST GET GRAY SUITS

Germans Build Fires Back of British Lines Before a Night Attack.

[BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

LONDON, Dec. 24.—I have just returned from the battle front, where I spent seven weeks with the British army, seeing something also of the French.

I learned that the French army is now being gradually equipped with a new type of uniform. The color is a light grayish blue. The effort is to make it inconspicuous, and I think the result will be satisfactory. Also it looks well.

Suspicion has become an animating quality in both French and English armies at the front. And this is justified, because the Germans seem to have a faculty of learning everything, not excepting the new positions of field batteries moved over night.

Silhouetted for the Germans.

I was informed by a wounded British infantry officer that a coincidence with every night attack by the Germans was that one or more haystacks or farmhouses to the rear of the British lines burst into flames, with the result that the British forces were silhouetted against the light. Of course, the Germans were favored by being in the dark.

It is certain that, whatever the facts, the British believe that German spies are everywhere, and the British act accordingly.

At this time, after nearly twenty weeks of fighting, the line troops of the British, officers and men alike, have a most hearty respect for the Germans as soldiers and brave men. It is also the British opinion that the Germans know how to shoot.

Percentage of Wounded.

Although at times and in certain places the casualties from fire are heavy, it seems to me doubtful if the total percentage of those engaged in battles who have been or will be wounded is as big as the proportion in some of the earlier great wars. It is true that shell and shrapnel make some very ugly wounds, but I suspect they are no worse than those made by the old fashioned shell, grapeshot, and cannister. I have not seen many, but I have seen a number of bayonet wounds inflicted in hand to hand fighting between British and German infantry.

PRICE ON AVIATORS' HEADS.

German Military Governor at Brussels Offers $5,000 for Capture Dead or Alive.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 7.—Because of the renewed activity of the allied aviators, who have successfully destroyed several military positions, the military governor of Brussels today announced a reward of $5,000 for the taking of any hostile airman dead or alive.

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WILSON BACKS UP HAGUE TREATIES RELATING TO WAR

Warns Citizens of U. S. Not to Supply Belligerents with Fighting Tools.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—President Wilson today declared that he will enforce observation of The Hague conventions relating to warfare by all persons and business concerns in the United States.

The attitude of the president on this question, which has been communicated to the belligerents, will be made public today in a letter addressed by Secretary of State Bryan to Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, in regard to complaints by the envoy that American firms are supplying Great Britain with dumdum bullets.

"The president directs me to inform you," Secretary Bryan wrote, "that in case any American company is shown to be engaged in this traffic he will use his influence to prevent, so far as possible, sales of such ammunition to the powers engaged in the European war without regard to whether it is the duty of this government upon legal or conventional grounds to take such action.

Bullets for Sportsmen.

"Investigation discloses that the Remington Arms-Union Metallic Cartridge company had sold 100,000 soft nosed bullets for the use of sportsmen and that the cartridges will not fit the rifles of any belligerent.

"The department is in receipt from the company of a complete detailed list of the persons to whom these cartridges were sold. From this list it appears that the cartridges were sold to firms in lots of twenty to 2,000 and one lot each of 3,000, 4,000, and 5,000. Of these only 500 cartridges went to British North America and 100 to British East Africa.

"If, however, you can furnish the department with evidence that this or any other company is manufacturing and selling for the use of the contending armies in Europe cartridges whose use would contravene The Hague convention the government would be glad to be furnished with the evidence."

President's Stand Firm.

The letter to the ambassador was given out to afford publicity to the refutation of the charges of furnishing dumdum bullets to belligerents equal to the publicity of the complaints and also to make known to the country the determination of the president to enforce compliance with The Hague conventions by all persons over whom the United States has jurisdiction.

One of The Hague treaties provides: Besides the prohibitions provided by special conventions it is specially prohibited: "To employ poison or poisoned arms. To employ arms, projectiles, or material of a nature to cause superfluous injury."

This convention was ratified by the United States and constitutes a part of the supreme law of this nation.

The promulgation of the declaration contained in the letter to the German ambassador is the first step taken by President Wilson to compel observance of The Hague conventions on the conduct of the war.

Many Protests on Treaties.

Nearly all of the belligerents have urged the president repeatedly to protest against alleged violations of The Hague treaties. The Kaiser complained to Mr. Wilson of the alleged use of dumdum bullets by the French and English.

The British charged violations by the Germans of the rules governing the planting of mines.

The Belgians sent a delegation to urge the president to intervene in their behalf in regard to atrocities alleged to have been committed by the Germans in Belgium.

President Wilson, however, took the position that it was not the duty of the United States to pass judgment on the charge that the invasion of Belgium violated The Hague convention. Whether Belgium was preserving the neutrality entitled to immunity from invasion is a disputed question in which the president believed the United States should not become involved.

Full Settlement Later.

In reply to the kaiser's cablegram and in regard to all the other pleas to protest against violations of The Hague conventions the president pointed out that the responsibility for misdeeds will be determined eventually.

The attitude of the president having been made known, it is believed that no Americans will attempt to supply dumdum bullets or other prohibited arms. Information that Americans are disregarding the prohibition will be acted upon at once, according to administration officials, and the guilty parties dealt with summarily.

RAIL MEN SEE PROSPERITY.

Symposium at Buffalo, N.Y., Brings Out Optimistic Views—Foreign Trade Campaign Urged.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 7.—Ten presidents and vice presidents of railroad systems and a number of high officials of steel companies were the guests of honor at a "prosperity" dinner given by the chamber of commerce here tonight. The general tenor of the addresses was optimistic. The opportunity for the development of foreign trade, James A. Farrell, president of the United States Steel corporation, said, offered the best field at this time for increasing the country's prosperity, but this can be secured only by a united and aggressive policy on the part of the business interests of the country.

OBSERVE PEACE CENTENNIAL.

New Orleans Starts Celebration Today on Site of Last Battle with the British.

New Orleans, Jan. 7.—A three day celebration of the one-hundredth anniversary of peace between English speaking nations will begin here tomorrow on the site of the last armed conflict between the United States and Great Britain.

It Was One Grand Swapping Party.

MARJORIE ROWAN ELIZABETH CURTIS NOLAN CAROL KELLEY BROOKE

They swapped yarns and they swapped smiles; they swapped beauty pins and belt buckles; they swapped those funny little thing-a-ma-jigs women folks put in their hair, and they swapped souvenirs. And mostly they swapped compliments. Whoever heard of women getting together without doing it. For it was a "swapping party," at which the Illinois Women's Press association entertained themselves at last night. The affair was held in the new headquarters of the Eleanor Club association in the Stevens building. Mrs. Archibald Ray presided. About fifty reporters, scenario writers, short storyists, magazine editors, press agents, and others of the feminine literati attended. Nary a man was present.

JERRY DALY DIES IN SHOOTING ROW

Old Time Chicago Racehorse Man Is Killed in Cafe in Havana.

News of the shooting of Jerry Daly, an old time Chicago race horse man, in Havana, Cuba, reached Chicago yesterday. Messages stated that the shooting followed a controversy with some Cubans over racing matters. It took place in the cafe of the Plaza hotel.

The first news of the death of Daly was a telegram sent to Tom McGinnis in care of the Edelweiss cafe from Consul General Redder in Havana asking that the family be notified.

Daly was known practically every follower of the race in the country. He was one of Chicago's big gambling men, running books at Harlem, Hawthorne, and Washington park. At one time he was wealthy, but his Chicago friends believe he had lost or given away most of his money.

"He was a man who knew instinctively if a man was broke," said Dan O'Leary, when he heard the news. "I've heard him say hundreds of times to a friend in need: 'Here, take this twenty-five. It won't do you no harm.' I believe he gave away $100,000."

Daly made his first big money on concessions with the John Robinson circus. Later he ran shows with Frank Sweeny, now of the Hagenbeck shows. He had traveled all over the world and on one occasion took $25,000 away from Monte Carlo. At the time of the world's fair he opened the Berlin saloon on State street with Tom McGinnis.

Daly leaves a widow, Mrs. Ollie Daly, 717 North Dearborn street, and a son, Raymond, who is an actor with the Johnnie Jones company. Two sisters are Miss Cora Colford of 663 Harry avenue and Mrs. Catherine Brown of 810 Cuyler avenue.

CARNEGIE AID FOR STEVENS.

Foundation Gives $250,000 Conditional Upon Raising of $1,360,000 by Hoboken Institute.

New York, Jan. 7.—The Carnegie foundation has contributed $250,000 to the Stevens Institute of Technology at Hoboken, N. J., it was announced here today, conditional upon the raising of $1,360,000 by the school with which to clear itself of debt and create an endowment fund.

MARSHALL FIELD HERE; SILENT AS TO HIS PLANS.

Arrives for Business Conference Concerning Management of Estate and Keeps Reporters Away.

Marshall Field III. dropped into Chicago yesterday to hold a business conference concerning the management and destinies of the Field properties here.

On his arrival young Field, whose life recently has been filled by two big events—his financially epochal twenty-first birthday and the announcement of his engagement—was at pains to keep a safe distance between him and reporters.

"I have nothing to say—nothing," was his reply to questions put by newspaper men who met him at the train.

For the rest of the day the heir to the Field millions closeted in conference in the office of the estate, was inaccessible to the press. So whether he intends to go back to England to complete his education or to remain in America and assist in the direction of his inherited enterprises is as much in doubt as ever.

LATER NIGHT COURT HOURS URGED BY JUDGE DOLAN.

No Cases Tried During Evening, Only One Warrant Issued and One Bond Signed.

Chicago's new night court should be held later in the evening, in the opinion of Judge Harry Dolan, who sat in the court last night. The present hours are 7 to 11 o'clock.

No cases were tried during the evening and only one warrant was sworn out and one bond signed. There were many prisoners in the various police stations who might have been arraigned, but the police have received no definite instructions to bring in the defendants. They are awaiting instructions from Chief Gleason.

Judge Harry Olson, chief justice of the court, however, said that the court was not intended for women soliciting on the streets.

DEMANDS $25,000 OF AUNT OF MARLBOROUGH DUCHESS.

Woman Asks for Damages, Claiming Her Reputation Has Been Damaged by Mrs. McK. Twombly.

New York, Jan. 7.—[Special.]—A suit for damages filed today on the basis of a letter alleged to have been written by Mrs. Florance A. V. Twombly of 684 Fifth avenue brought from her secretary, R. J. Doherty, copies of two letters he says were written by the complainant, Miss Ida Bowen, which tend to show that there is no foundation for the suit and that Miss Bowen has made statements which will not receive credence in a court of law.

Miss Bowen alleges that her reputation has been injured by the alleged letter, and she asks $25,000 damages. The defendant is the widow of H. McK. Twombly, granddaughter of Commodore Vanderbilt, and daughter of the late William H. Vanderbilt. A curious element in the case is that, despite the fact that Mrs. Twombly is the aunt of the Duchess of Marlborough, she is made to say in the letter on which the suit is based that she hopes "all the dirty English will die in this war and that Germany will win."

One of the letters given out was signed by Ida Bowen. It asks that Mrs. Twombly pay the writer $2,500 to defray her expenses to Europe.

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BRITAIN TO HAVE HUGE NEW ARMY READY IN SPRING

Host Numbering Nearly 1,250,000 Drilling Day and Night.

BY FREDERIC WILLIAM WILE.
LONDON CORRESPONDENT OF THE TRIBUNE.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—Lord Kitchener's army, now anywhere between 600,000 and 1,250,000, is drilling day and night. It is being whipped into splendid shape rapidly. Experts are convinced it will throw a mighty weight in the continental balance just when it is needed most—along about springtime, 1915.

The town is still plastered with red, white, and blue importunities in the shape of flaming posters, beseeching the youth of the nation to "enlist for the duration of the war," because "your king and country need you."

That strikes the unthinking stranger as a sign of "British decadence." He thinks better about it when he pauses to remember that brass band and billboard methods are the only effective recruiting measures which are at the disposal of a non-conscription country.

Figures from "Tribune."

If the stranger is an American, he might brush up on his history of our own civil war, and then perhaps he will recall some of President Lincoln's troubles in raising an army.

I had the Daily Mail print, the other day, the figures quoted in a recent TRIBUNE editorial on Lincoln's volunteers. The figures provoked a good deal of comment and evoked several replies from interested Britishers.

The consensus of them was that old England, compared to the record of the north and south in the period of 1860-1865, had done mighty well in these first five months of Armageddon.

It may have to come to conscription, just as Lincoln did, and I am convinced Lord Kitchener and the government will not shrink from that extreme alternative, if the emergency demands it.

Disappointed About Russians.

It is becoming increasingly apparent that the disappointment of the war, so far as English public opinion is concerned, is the failure of the "Russian steam roller" to live up to its supposed reputation. When I first struck these isles in August, fresh from frenzied Berlin, the country was calmly confident that "those enormous Russian masses, now rolling relentlessly westward," would make a frightful dent in German military calculations.

The average Englishman is beginning to realize that the sacking of Berlin by the czar's Cossacks is a prospect which is becoming more and more of a Chimera from hour to hour.

The conviction is dawning that Von Hindenburg is a nut which the Grand Duke Nicholas cannot crack.

At the moment of writing Servia is almost looked upon as more of a vital factor in the vortex of the continent than Russia. The Servians have at least finished off their job in apparently complete fashion.

In proportion they had no less serious a task with the Austrians than the Russians have had with the Germans. If they were able to overwhelm the common foe, what has been the trouble with the Russians? the English ask.

Extent of English Hope.

I believe the most that any sane, unbiased student of the situation hopes for now is that the Russians will continue to occupy the Germans so intensely that Von Hindenburg, in no conceivable circumstances, will be able to turn his wonderful fighting machine, or any considerable part of it, toward the west.

There are a good many Englishmen, of course, who think Russia is playing a tremendous strategic game. They will remind you that a military gentleman of some renown, Napoleon I., invaded Russia and reached Moscow, and left the country subsequently a battered and beaten conqueror.

Germany will not and cannot whip Russia really, just as none of its other various foes in the past has ever genuinely beaten Muscovy. But I'm pretty sure that people in the know, not far remote from his majesty's war office in London have about abandoned rosy hopes that Russian "pressure" on the east was going to be the factor which would bring Germany to its knees sooner than any other one thing in this sanguinary and titanic mixup.

Veteran Policeman Found Dead.

Policeman Patrick H. Burke, of the Warren avenue station was found dead in bed in his room at 2017 West Adams street yesterday. The coroner has been asked to make an investigation, although he is believed to have died of heart disease. He was 44 years old and had been a member of the police force more than twenty years.

BRITISH REPLY IS DUE TODAY

First Answer to Wilson Shipping Note Will Be Mere Acknowledgement.

MORE DETAILS LATER.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—Great Britain's preliminary reply to the American note concerning the interruption of American shipping by British warships was discussed by the cabinet today and will be forwarded shortly, probably tomorrow, to the United States government. This first reply will be supplemented later by a more detailed note, framed after further inquiries have been made.

No response from the United States is expected upon the receipt of the preliminary reply, which will be in the nature of an acknowledgment of the American note and a general statement of the unusual conditions faced by the allies and the many new problems suddenly thrust upon England.

Time Needed to Frame Reply.

The necessity of consulting its allies, so vitally interested in the subject of contraband, makes it impossible to give an immediate detailed response, according to officials of the foreign office.

The text of the reply will not be published in London until the American government signifies its willingness after receiving the note.

It is pointed out that the American note makes no specific statements concerning particular cases on which its objections are based and the British preliminary reply will be no more specific.

Secrecy Is Criticised.

The British public is commenting widely upon what is termed the apparent unwillingness of both governments to disclose facts which would enable the formation of a more definite idea of the nature of the controversy.

Surprise is expressed at the foreign office at rumors of the detention of the steamer Denver at the Orkney islands. Specific instructions were given that the Denver, which bears cotton for Bremen, should not be detained longer than was necessary to identify it.

Another U. S. Boat Held Up.

ESBJERG, Denmark, Jan. 7.—The American ship Carolyn, Capt. Mitchell, from Boston, Dec. 14, with a load of cotton for Bremen, has been held up here by the British.

LESSEN SHIPPING EVILS.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—Arrangements between Great Britain, Italy, and the Netherlands have been completed whereby commerce to the latter two countries from the United States is expected to undergo a minimum of molestation.

The steps taken by Great Britain, and announced in statements from both the British embassy and state department, remedy some of the complaints made by the United States in its recent note to Great Britain, and the plans encouraged administration officials in the hope that commerce with the Scandinavian countries and other neutral nations also would be improved.

German Acceptance Blocked.

The statement indicated that so far as Italy and Holland are concerned, the British government now believes the danger of getting contraband articles through those countries to Germany and Austria practically has been removed.

Should effective measures be agreed upon between the allies and the other neutrals of Europe, American commerce, it is thought by English officials, will not be subject to the delays and interference complained of in the American note.

American Minister Van Dyke at The Hague cabled during the day that the British, French, and Russian ministers had given formal assurances that merchandise, even of a contraband character, would not be molested on the high seas if consigned to the recently established Netherlands monopoly.

COULDN'T SELL PAINTINGS, SO HE TRIED SUICIDE.

Italian Artist-Army Officer Recovers Consciousness and Tells Why He Wanted to Die.

Charles Brusseau, 27 years old, 922 West Taylor street, who attempted to commit suicide Wednesday night by inhaling gas, recovered consciousness at the county hospital last night and told the attendants why he had attempted to take his life.

He said that he came to America three years ago from Italy, where he had been an army officer. He is an artist, but was unable to sell his paintings. He was in destitute circumstances, he said, and this caused him to become despondent and attempt to end his life.

He left two letters, one to Dominick Sorrentino, at whose home he lived, and another to Louis Romanelli, the only one to whom he had sold a painting while in Chicago.

BAKERS CAN'T OUT WEIGHT OF LOAVES, SAY OFFICIALS.

Ordinance of 1908 Is Cited as Regulating Minimum for Bread in Chicago.

City officials cited the fact yesterday that bakers would conflict with the law should they try to reduce the size of loaves of bread. In 1908 when James A. Patten dominated the wheat market an ordinance was passed reducing the weight of the standard loaf to one pound. After the price of wheat dropped the size was not increased again and neither did the bakers reduce the price. It was pointed out they would be unable to reduce the weight and the only way in which they can meet the increasing cost of wheat, they say, is to increase the price.

Flour yesterday sold for from $6 to $6.50 and predictions are that it will reach $7. Wheat touched $1.38⅝, a record figure.

It is said there are 30,000,000 bushels of wheat in storage here, more than any previously reported in the city's history.

Ryerson Estate $200,000.

The will of Herbert B. Ryerson, disposing of his $200,000 estate, was approved and admitted to probate yesterday. Mr. Ryerson, who was president of the Bartlett-Frasier company at 111 West Jackson boulevard, died Nov. 21. Mrs. Theresa L. Ryerson, 4541 Forrestville avenue, his widow, is the chief beneficiary.

ADMIRALTY SAYS TORPEDOES SUNK THE FORMIDABLE

Marquis of Crewe Gives Finding; Only Four German Raiders at Large, He Says.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The Marquis of Crewe announced in the house of lords today that it was the definite opinion of the British admiralty that the battleship Formidable had been sunk by two torpedoes discharged by a submarine. The battleship Formidable was sunk in the English channel on Jan. 1 with a loss of more than 500 men. The British admiralty in its earlier reports said it was unable to state whether the disaster had been caused by a mine or a torpedo.

Pacification Criticised.

The Earl of Selborne, former first lord of the admiralty, in an address here described the dispatch of Sir Christopher Craddock's squadron to the Pacific as a blunder, as the squadron, he said, was wholly inadequate for the task assigned to it—to destroy the German warships there.

He then asked for more information concerning the loss of the battleships Formidable and Bulwark and data about other naval operations.

The Marquis of Crewe said he could not add anything to what Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, had said in the house of commons. Before adjournment, however, the marquis said that in the opinion of the admiralty the Formidable had been struck by two torpedoes fired by a submarine.

He added that the captain of the Formidable had sent signals to the other ships not to stand by, which was taken to mean that submarines were in the vicinity and that they might suffer the same fate as his ship.

Only Four Germans at Large.

There were now only two German cruisers and two armed merchantmen to carry on commerce raiding, the Marquis of Crewe said.

British Steamer Sunk.

SCARBOROUGH, England, Jan. 7.—The British steamer Alfredia was sunk by striking a mine off Scarborough today.

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PROVINE'S FOES QUIT, BUT STILL HE FALLS 2 SHY

Republican House Caucus on Thirty-first Ballot Fails to Nominate for Speaker.

(By a Staff Correspondent.)

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—Edward D. Shurtleff withdrew as a candidate for speaker of the house before the Republican caucus this afternoon. David E. Shanahan, almost on bended knee, as it was said, pleaded with his fellow Republicans not to cast Shanahan ballots.

Then with the field left open to Walter M. Provine, Mr. Shanahan, as chairman of the caucus, was about to declare Mr. Provine the caucus nominee without further procedure, Tice, Shurtleff, Shanahan, and Watson all having withdrawn.

There was an instant demand for a roll call. The roll was called and the Republicans voted by secret ballot for the thirtieth time. Mr. Provine obtained thirty-nine votes, two short of the required forty-one. On the thirty-first ballot Mr. Provine dropped back to thirty-seven votes. Twenty-one others scattered their votes around.

Caucus Adjourns to Tuesday.

The caucus then adjourned until Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. The house, after two perfunctory ballots, had adjourned until 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

The consensus of opinion is that Mr. Provine will have to muster the forty-one votes on the first ballot Tuesday morning or will be forced out of the race. If he is pushed out, it is the inside impression that William P. Holaday of Danville will be put forward as the regular Republican nominee.

Mr. Holaday started for his home in Danville tonight practically an announced candidate. The result seems to depend upon two things:

Can the seventeen bolting wet Republicans be lined up for Provine, should he get the caucus nomination?

Can a dry bolt be prevented against Holaday, should Provine be eliminated and Holaday become the caucus nominee?

Claim Wets for Provine.

Mr. Provine's managers say the bolting wets will vote for him if he can get by in the caucus. Certain of the wets say that under no circumstances can Provine get their solid support. At this point the wet and dry issue passes out of existence and certain bitter anti-Deneen Republicans in the wet crowd refuse to vote for Provine, because he has the support of most of the Deneen organization men in the house.

As to Holaday and the drys there is a serious question, which has been answered in part by the statements from dry leaders that they will vote for Holaday or anybody else who can get the required forty-one of the Republican caucus. Holaday is a wet and everybody knows it. It is certain that he could get the seventeen bolters.

Provine a Risk for Party.

Provine's danger is plainly evident. It is that at least five of the bolting seventeen will not vote for him, and the Republicans by themselves then will be short of the constitutional majority of seventy-seven.

Sixteen Republicans, both wet and dry, arose in the caucus this afternoon and, in what is said to be the most remarkable proceeding ever witnessed in Springfield, served notice that they will not be caucus bound to Provine or to any other caucus candidate, if a single Democrat "comes across the aisle" to put over a bi-partisan speakership.

There were several reasons ascribed for this. There are wet Republicans who did not bolt with the seventeen. They said that they would not be bound to a dry Republican by a Republican caucus who would have to be elected by a combination with dry Democrats upon terms dictated by the anti-saloon league.

These Will Have No Trade.

Another element, fully as important, was formed by Republicans who were led into the bi-partisan agreement which ended the deadlock of two years ago whereby Speaker McKinley was elected and the Lewis-Sherman senatorial combination was effected. This class of Republicans affects the belief that it was "gold bricked" and will not trade with the Democrats under any circumstances.

A third factor consists of those Republicans who had a part in the 1909 bi-partisan alliance which resulted eventually in the election of William Lorimer. They are through for all time, personally and politically, with any negotiations which might even savor of subsurface deals.

Republicans went home understanding that the Republican party has a working majority in the house and that the party will be responsible if a Republican speaker is not elected.

Mr. Provine tonight declared his willingness to give right of way to a joint resolution for the submission to popular vote of the proposal to summon a constitutional convention. Mr. Holaday already was on record for the prompt submission of such a resolution, which now seems to be assured of adoption in both senate and house.

Ballots Taken in House.

Two ballots for temporary speaker were taken in the house today without result. The figures of the second ballot of the deadlock were:

REPUBLICANS.			
Shurtleff	22	Watson	2
Provine	30	Turnbaugh	1
Shanahan	6	Curran	1
Roderick	16	Tice	1
Holaday	1		
DEMOCRATS.			
Kane	15	Farrell	4
Browne	30	Igoe	1
Gorsuche	1	Huston	1
Roe	1	Present and not voting	3
Burns	3		
Mitchell	1	Absent	2
Devine	6		1

On the third ballot of the deadlock and the second of the day the result was:

REPUBLICANS.			
Shurtleff	16	Watson	2
Provine	33	G. R. Wilson	1
Shanahan	6	Gardner	1
Roderick	16	Flagg	1
DEMOCRATS.			
Kane	14	Igoe	3
Browne	30	Huston	1
Roe	7	Rinehart	1
Burns	3	Present and not voting	3
Mitchell	1		
Devine	6	Absent	1
Farrell	2		

In the Republican caucus this morning the twenty-ninth ballot resulted:

Provine	28	Shanahan	9
Shurtleff	22	Holaday	1

The thirtieth ballot this afternoon was:

Provine	39	Flagg	1
Shanahan	11	Tice	1
Shurtleff	6	Scanlan	1
Holaday	1		

The thirty-first ballot was:

Provine	37	Holaday	2
Shanahan	13	Flagg	1
Shurtleff	6	Tice	1

CORONER HAS WITNESS TO TELL OF RONALDS ORGY.

Mattoon Official Says Testimony Will Show "High Doings" Before Tragedy.

Despite the fact that Chemist William D. McNally has found sufficient beechwood creosote and oil of wintergreen in the stomach of Mrs. Alice Ronalds to cause death, the authorities of Mattoon, Ill., where she lived, believe they will have to look in their own city for a solution of the mystery.

Coroner Cook yesterday stated that he has a witness in sight who will swear at the resumption of the inquest that Mrs. Purcell said that she struck Dr. Ronalds in the mouth. Coroner Cook accepts this as strengthening the general opinion that there were "high doings" in the Ronalds residence on New Year's day.

"The chemical analysis will disclose for what purpose the poison was given," said Coroner Cook, "but I believe she was assaulted and killed. Three carbolic acid bottles were conspicuously displayed. One was in the basement, one about four feet from the cot where she died, and one in her bedroom. All were easily observed.

"The skull wasn't fractured, but it showed evidence of receiving a heavy blow. It will be up to the state's attorney to swear out a warrant for the arrest of the suspect after the inquest, if I don't do it in the meanwhile. Mrs. Grace Bryant told us Mrs. Purcell admitted striking Dr. Ronalds in the mouth."

FIVE DEMOCRATS BALK A GRAB OF 2 SENATE SEATS

Cases of Englewood and Oak Park Put Over Until Tuesday Night.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—Senate Democrats today failed to put over a purposed grab of the two seats from the Englewood and Oak Park districts. Twenty-four Republicans placed the twenty-five Democrats flatly against the proposition of proceeding summarily with their proposal to seat Strauss and Byrne as against Austin and Baldwin.

The Democrats had the lieutenant governor and an opinion from the attorney general, which might have been expected to do the business from a Democratic standpoint. Five balky Democrats refused to go along with what Senator Dailey of Peoria dubbed "political burglary," and the resolution which had been offered by Senator Gorman of Chicago seating the two Democrats went over under the rules, it was declared officially, until next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

Beat Recount Proposal.

The Democrats were unanimous, however, in defeating a resolution offered by Senator Dailey in behalf of the Republicans providing for a joint committee of three Democrats and three Republicans, which should proceed immediately to Chicago and count the actual ballots in the two districts. The vote was 25 to 23, Senator Harding, Republican, of Chicago, who has refused to join in the Republican caucus, being absent.

Senator Keller for the Democrats offered a resolution, which will be considered on Tuesday night, providing for the appointment of the regular elections committee of seventeen members, nine Democrats and eight Republicans, whose duty it shall be to proceed with the hearing of the contests in the orthodox manner.

Tis would mean, ordinarily, a long drawn out procedure, with a report somewhere around the day of final adjournment.

See Speedy, Honest Action.

Some of the Democrats, however, insist that the twenty-five Democrats who now claim to be a working majority of the senate are "on the square" in favor of rapid fire action and that a subcommittee will be appointed under the Keller resolution—under Democratic auspices—which will count the ballots as quickly and as honestly as the joint committee proposed by the Dailey resolution.

The opinion of Attorney General Lucey requested officially by Lieut. Gov. O'Hara, in accordance with the action of the senate yesterday, was not sufficiently strong to warrant summary action in seating the two Democrats today and it fell far short of enough law and authority to justify the five belligerent Democrats—Piercy, Compton, Campbell, Clery, and Woodard—in joining with their colleagues in seating Strauss and Byrne pending a settlement of the contests by way of an elections committee report.

Gives Senate Full Power.

"I am of the opinion that the senate has absolute power to determine this question in any manner it sees fit," was he gist of the attorney general's opinion. "This is a question of organization of the senate, in which a majority of the senate are the sole judges of both the law and the facts and their final determination thereupon, under the constitution and laws of this state, subject to review by no executive or judicial power."

Considerable pressure was exerted on behalf of the two Democratic contestants, Strauss and Byrne, in certain quarters by the recognized wet leaders.

No business was transacted in the senate except to permit by unanimous consent the introduction of an emergency appropriation bill by Senator Curtis for $1,000,000 to pay for cattle killed by state authorities in the recent foot and mouth disease epidemic.

SEEK TO SAVE PRIZE CATTLE

Foot and Mouth Disease Expert Coming to Illinois to Stop Destruction.

TO BE SENT BY U. S.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—In an effort to stop the slaughter of prize herds of milch cattle infected with the foot and mouth disease an expert from the bureau of animal industry of the department of agriculture is to be sent into McHenry county, Illinois.

This was the promise given today by Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Vrooman to a delegation consisting of Representative Copley, V. S. Lumley of Woodstock, and Benjamin Getzelman of Algonquin. Dr. Melvin, chief of the bureau, attended the conference.

It was stated to Mr. Vrooman that while 400 dairy herds had been slaughtered and more than $5,000,000 worth of cattle destroyed, the disease had not been stamped out thereby. It was shown that herds on farms adjacent to the farm on which infected cattle were located were not infected, while herds miles distant developed the disease.

Plan to Cure, Not Kill.

The plea was made, accordingly, that owners of infected herds be permitted to isolate the infected cattle and try to cure them instead of being forced to immediate slaughter.

Dr. Melvin and Mr. Vrooman would not give their indorsement to this plan but they promised to give it consideration and will send into the dairy district of Illinois a special expert to study the situation from a new angle.

DESTROY $80,000 HERD.

A herd of 200 brown Swiss cattle valued at $80,000 was killed yesterday and the carcasses buried in lime on the Enos M. Barton dairy farm at Hinsdale, Ill. They were infected with the foot and mouth disease.

The herd was killed after every farmer and cattle owner within a radius of five miles of the Barton farm had signed a petition asking that the cattle be left in quarantine. This was presented at Washington by Robert W. Childs, former assistant district attorney and son-in-law of Mr. Barton, but to no avail.

While the 200 animals at the farm were killed, 22 which had been shown at the National Dairy show and are now in quarantine with the other 800 prize animals which contracted the disease have been permitted to live. These 800 animals are now quartered at the old Hawthorne racetrack.

ARIZONA'S ALIEN LABOR LAW ADJUDGED INVALID.

Restriction on Employment Is Held Unconstitutional by the United States Court in California.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 7.—The Arizona law, providing that at least 80 per cent of the employés on the pay roll of a concern where more than five persons are employed must be American citizens, was declared unconstitutional by the federal District court here today.

The court held that the law was in conflict with the fourteenth amendment to the United States constitution, which guarantees equal protection to all in this country.

Attorney General Wiley of Arizona immediately announced that he would appeal to the United States Supreme court.

Decision Interests Foreign Envoys.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—News that the Arizona anti-alien employment law had been declared unconstitutional and void by three United States Circuit judges, sitting as a federal District court at San Francisco, was received with deep interest among diplomatists here today, especially at the British and Italian embassies, which protested against it, and notably at the Japanese embassy.

WOMEN'S RIGHT TO VOTE MORAL, BRYAN ARGUES

Secretary of State Addresses Feminine Democratic League.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—Secretary of State Bryan was the principal speaker tonight at a Jackson day celebration held under the auspices of the Woman's National Democratic league in convention here.

Mr. Bryan analyzed the record of the Democratic party, paying particular attention to the legislative program of the present administration. Incidentally, he reiterated his conviction that women should have the right of suffrage.

"The right of voting," he declared, "requires the expression of two qualities—intelligence and morality. Until it can be proven that women have not these qualifications, they should not be denied the ballot."

Petty Larceny in Politics.

Petty larceny, the secretary said, was practiced too much in present day politics, and he remarked that the man who stole upon a small scale today was looked upon as a common thief and a menace to society, while the one that stole upon a large scale was regarded as a Napoleon of finance, his rascality covered by admiration.

Referring to the record of congress during the last session, Mr. Bryan praised the tariff, the currency, the parcel post, and other laws, characterizing them as the greatest heritage ever given the common people by any political party.

"When the currency bill was enacted," he said, "the power to decide whether the country should have prosperity or be thrown into a panic was taken from the 100 men who formerly possessed the authority and divided into twelve regions, with the central authority placed in Washington instead of New York."

Denounces Private Monopoly.

The secretary denounced private monopoly and predicted a continued redistribution of the influence which combinations now possessed until free privileges to all and special rights to none were had.

"Every mother in this country," he declared, "should study the theory of government and instruct her children to stand for honesty, so that they may be able to understand right from wrong in politics and through their convictions protect themselves with their vote."

Speaker Clark addressed the afternoon session of the convention, predicting a Democratic victory in 1916.

"I believe," the speaker said, "that the Democratic administration has put more constructive legislation on the statute books than any other congress. I believe the American people will indorse us and continue us at the helm of affairs for what we have done."

WATCH CITY BUILDING BODY.

Voters' League to Attend Hearing Before Aldermanic Committee Today.

Close watch will be kept on the city council committee on buildings this afternoon by the Municipal Voters' league and other organizations who make it a practice to scrutinize the conduct of the aldermen on interesting occasions.

Technically the meeting is called as the first of a series of three hearings to give affected property owners an opportunity to express their views on the proposed extension of the fire limits to include about forty more miles of city territory. The wards scheduled for hearing this time are the Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first, and Thirty-second.

HOUSE BALKS AT IMMIGRANT BILL

Senate Proposals to Exclude Negroes and Admit Belgians Are Rejected.

DEBATE LASTS ALL DAY

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—[Special]—The house spent the entire day wrangling over senate amendments to the immigration bill excluding negroes from the United States and waiving all restrictions with respect to Belgian refugees. Both amendments were disagreed to and late this afternoon the bill was sent to conference with instructions to disagree to all senate amendments.

The amendment inserted in the bill by Senator Reed excluding all negroes precipitated a long oratorical display, with Minority Leader Mann and Congressman Madden of Chicago leading the opposition forces. When the vote was taken the senate amendment was overwhelmingly defeated, the vote standing 262 to 75. In all probability the senate conferees will accept the action of the house and leave it out.

Mann Assails Negro Exclusion.

"If the senate amendment stays in the bill the bill soon will be as dead as a last year's smelt," said Mr. Mann. "It is something of a temptation to those who oppose this bill to vote for the amendment, with the idea of killing the legislation as a whole. However, I refuse to stultify myself by doing this injustice to the colored race. This amendment smells to heaven, worse even than the last year's smelt to which I have referred."

Mr. Madden in the course of his remarks asserted that it was time for congress and the states to cease thrusting indignities on the negroes of the country.

"No other people of 10,000,000 of the nation's population," said Mr. Madden, "would submit to the indignities that have been imposed on the negroes. There are not many of these people that come from abroad—not more than 5,000—and the most of them are English subjects.

Madden Fears Complications.

"It is a question with me whether if you adopt this amendment you are not going to bring this country into international complications.

"Only a short time ago we passed a bill in this house to give self-government to the Filipino. Are we to be less just to a race of people who have stood by the government under which we live and for which we speak today? They ought to be given opportunity with other races to come here. They are loyal, law abiding, and they have made more progress since the close of the civil war than any other people in all history."

VILLA TO ATTACK BORDER TOWNS WITH 8,000 MEN

Wires Brig. Gen. Scott "He Will Drive Out Foe" Opposite Naco and Douglas, Ariz.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 7.—Gen. Villa plans to attack the Mexican border towns opposite Naco and Douglas, Ariz., with the 8,000 troops that accompany him north. Half this force passed through Juares today en route to Casas Grandes, whence the troops will move overland into Sonora.

Gen. Villa explained his plans, which he seemed to regard as friendly to the American government, in a communication telegraphed to Brig. Gen. Scott, chief of staff of the United States army, who has been waiting here to confer with the Mexican chief regarding the cessation of fighting on the border.

Gutierres a Prisoner?

Mexico City, Dec. 30.—[By Courier to El Paso, Tex., Jan. 7.]—Provisional President Gutierres is virtually a prisoner in the national palace at the will of Villa as the result of a suspicion, which is said to be amply confirmed, that Gutierres has been plotting with the Carranzista element to join the forces in the field against Villa and Zapata.

Carranza Victory Reported.

Laredo, Tex., Jan. 7.—In a battle today near Victoria, capital of the state of Tamaulipas, Villa forces were put to flight, leaving many dead and wounded on the field, according to constitutionalist advices in Nuevo Laredo, Mex.

BRITISH PROTEST DENIED.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The report cabled here that Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, British ambassador to the United States, has protested to the Washington government regarding conditions in Mexico, particularly with reference to interference with British railroads, is designated as an excessive statement of the case.

What actually occurred, according to good authority here, is that Great Britain from time to time has communicated with Washington reports of the destruction of railroad and other property in Mexico, and has asked for the good offices of the United States. Nothing in the nature of a protest has been lodged, it is stated.

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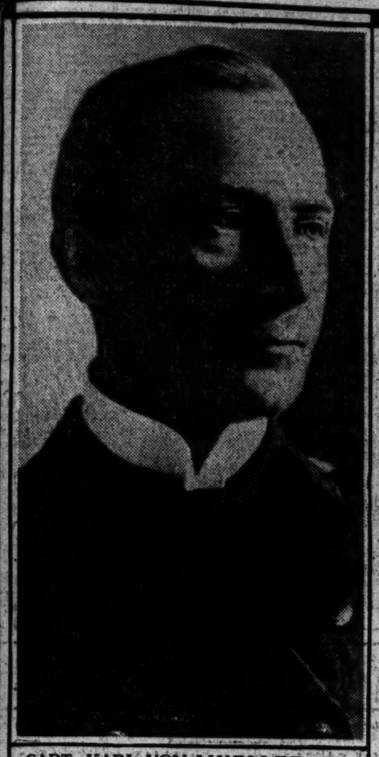

CAPT. KARL VON MUELLER—The commander of the Emden escaped death in the battle with the Sydney. His exploits have stirred the imagination of the British public and the otherwise hostile English press has praised his gallantry. One of the ships taken by the Emden was the Kabinga. The wife of the captain of the Kabinga was on board and rather than put her to any inconvenience or distress Capt. von Mueller, instead of sending the ship to the bottom, presented the vessel to her with his compliments.

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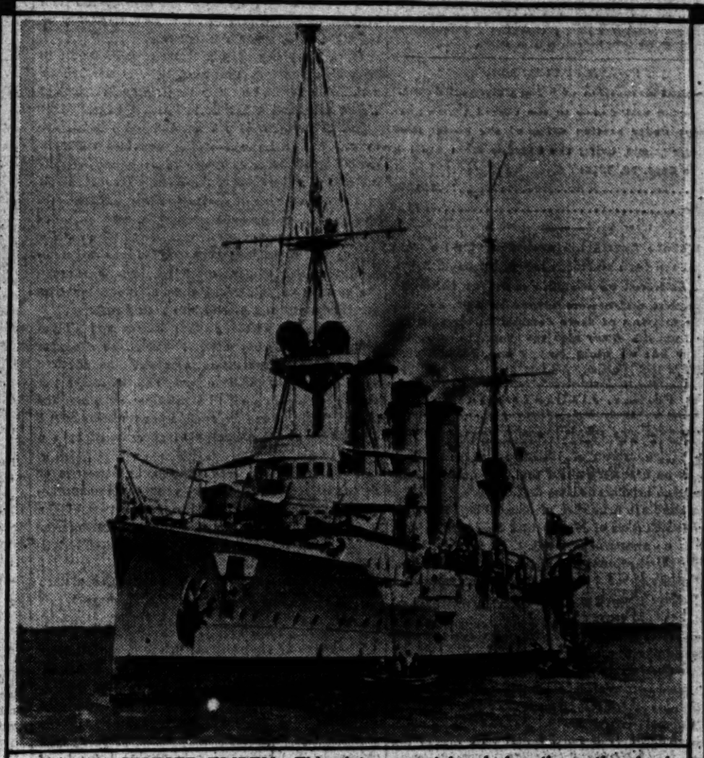

GERMAN CRUISER EMDEN—This picture was taken before the outbreak of the war. At one time there were seventy British, French, Japanese and Russian cruisers searching for the Emden in the Pacific and Indian oceans. It was of the small cruiser class, with a displacement of 3,600 tons, and carried ten 4.1 inch guns. The Sydney, which destroyed the Emden, is a protected cruiser of 5,600 tons and carries eight 6 inch guns. (Photo Copyright: By Underwood & Underwood.)

Few exploits of the great war will be as long remembered as the brilliant record of the German cruiser Emden and its gallant commander, Capt. Karl von Mueller. Before it was run ashore a battered wreck on a reef off the Cocos Islands in the Indian ocean the ship had captured and destroyed a score or more of merchantmen, smashed a number of Indian ports and practically stopped British commerce with India. The Australian cruiser Sydney defeated the Emden in battle November 10, surprising the German commander at a time when he had sent a landing party ashore to destroy the British wireless station. This force witnessed the destruction of their ship from shore, in which 230 of their shipmates lost their lives. The tremendous value of wireless was proven by the exploits of the Emden in trapping twenty or more British ships. On its roving mission it cruised about with no definite destination in view. Its wireless operators were constantly "listening in" and talking to other ships. As soon as an English boat got in touch by wireless, they asked for its position. Not suspecting it was the Emden, the English ship replied, and Capt. von Mueller steamed toward it and it was soon a prize of war. By means of its wireless the Emden managed to escape capture for over three months. The picture shows the wreck of the Emden, with the first boat load of survivors being taken ashore by the British.

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GUNNERS OF THE EMDEN—Many of this gallant company of sea fighters perished in the battle off Cocos island, November 10. The Emden carried a crew of 321, of whom 230 were lost in the fight with the Sydney.

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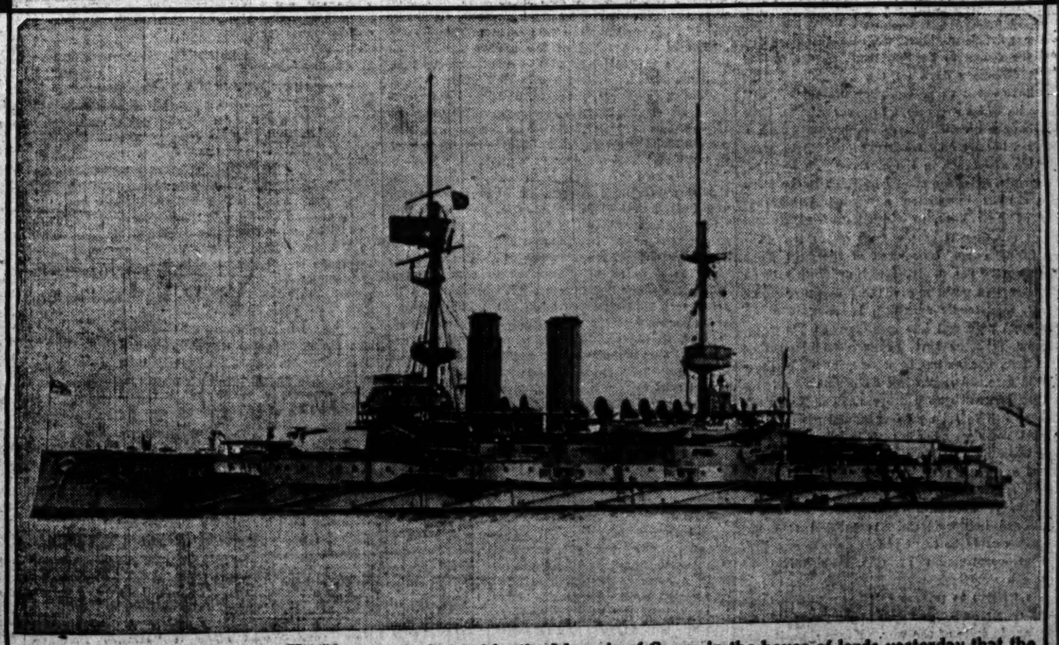

SUBMARINE SANK FORMIDABLE—It was admitted by the Marquis of Crewe in the house of lords yesterday that the British battleship Formidable was sunk by two torpedoes launched against its hull by a German submarine while the warship was lying off Scarborough. The above is a reproduction of a photograph which arrived in Chicago yesterday and shows the ship as it appeared just before it went down with a loss of about 500 men. It was stated in the house of lords that the commander of the Formidable, after his ship was struck, signaled other vessels not to stand by, thus indicating his belief that submarines were in the locality and that any ship going to his assistance would be imperiled.

The Formidable had a speed of eighteen knots and was a sister ship of the Irresistible and the Implacable. It had a water line length of 411 feet; was of 15,000 tons displacement, and carried a crew of about 780 men. Its armament included four 12 inch guns, twelve 6 inch guns, sixteen 12 pounders, and two 12 pounders of a shorter muzzle length, six 3 pounders and two maxims. It was fitted with four submerged torpedo tubes. Its armor ranged from nine to twelve inches of Krupp steel.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1915.

HOW TO GET TAX REFORM.

The taxing system of Illinois is hopelessly bad. There is no argument about that. It needs reform. There is no argument about that.

But there are a number of other things imbedded in the constitution of Illinois that also need reform. There is no argument about that.

Now, these reforms all stand a good chance of being accomplished in a constitutional convention. They cannot possibly all be accomplished except in a constitutional convention.

If a reform is made in the way of assessing taxes, but not in the way of spending them, only half the taxation problem is solved.

For good government in Illinois a short ballot is essential, and there can be no short ballot without a constitutional convention. Remember, gentlemen, the short ballot is a fundamental part of the tax problem.

To be entirely frank about it, many of the leading advocates of tax reform by amendment are opposed to a constitutional convention because they are afraid of radicalism in a new instrument. To be again perfectly frank about it, there is less danger of 'isms" dominating a convention called now than there is of "isms" dominating a convention called two, four, or eight years from now.

ESTABLISH A STANDARD.

The service standard recommended by the board of traction to the city council for adoption seems to THE TRIBUNE to represent a dream of the unattainable. A seat for every passenger in non-rush hours is like a promise of rain in the Sahara, and the suggestion that in rush hours the cars may be so operated as to prevent overcrowding appears as rational as a notion that a snowball would remain congealed in a hot furnace.

Nevertheless THE TRIBUNE believes that the establishment of a service standard is the only rational procedure open to the council at the present time. There ought to be a service in nonrush hours which would permit of comfort at least. Any casual observation of the operation now would show that there is no comfort. What can be done in rush hours is another question, but let's have a standard established and see what happens.

It is for the city to say what the companies shall furnish and the city has rested its case with the declaration that there shall be adequate service. The companies interpret adequacy in the terms of earnings. Let the city say precisely what an adequate service is and force the companies to furnish it so far as it is physically possible.

Thereby will be demonstrated the physical limitations of the systems and the need of other means of transportation will stand apparent.

HOW ABOUT THE UNEMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE?

Although the council acted with commendable promptness on the suggestion of the markets committee that the mayor appoint a committee of leading business men to advise on measures of relief of the local unemployed, the mayor has not yet seen fit to act. We realize that these are busy days for politicians. But we also realize, what the mayor seems to be forgetting, that they are idle and desperate days for the unemployed. He should have acted as promptly as the council, and we hope he will not continue to procrastinate. We do not hope for revolutionary results from such a committee, but we may fairly expect them to prove a valuable assistance in the emergency.

Meanwhile, attention should be given to the work of the similar committee appointed by Mayor Mitchel of New York, to which THE TRIBUNE referred at the time it proposed an employers' committee for Chicago. The work of the New York committee deserves study, for New York's problem is Chicago's problem and the problem of every city that, industrially speaking, is set upon a hill and attracts poor and idle men.

In New York, as here, advance will be rather slow at first, but, as has been said, it will be progress from zero. America has done nothing as yet, and every forward step will count. The New York committee has found no panacea and already has appointed some people, but it is wrestling with the problem and making recommendations of a practical nature.

It has asked the city to start at once repairs, extensions, replacements of buildings, and other contemplated improvements. It believes that 10,000 persons could be employed at once by the city, and that construction at this time would be economical.

It has written to private employers urging them to start repair and construction work without further delay, in spite of the war. Every sign, it tells them, points to steady improvement in the business situation, and confidence should be the watchword.

It has advised preferential treatment of New York residents, taking the position that the city cannot be expected to take care of the thousands who have drifted in from other districts.

It has employed a vocational expert to provide work for children out of school. Finally, it announces that it is studying a proposal for a loan fund to help those who are not and do not wish to be dependent on charity, but who need aid to tide over periods of depression.

Every measure taken or recommended in New York by its able committee is of immediate and vital interest to us in Chicago. If we in turn can give New York points, one may be sure these will be gratefully copied or emulated. The problem is complex enough to require the coöperation of many communities and industrial leaders.

We ought to perfect every possible agency. We are confident the employers' committee the mayor has been directed to appoint is an agency which will get results, and we do not want to wait too long for them.

RUM IN THE CHAIR?

If there is one thing that the state of Illinois ought not to tolerate, and THE TRIBUNE is certain will not tolerate long, it is the organization and domination of the principal law making agency of the state by the liquor interests.

What the policy of this commonwealth ought to be with respect to the regulation, restriction, or prohibition of the traffic in intoxicants is a matter of fair debate, is a legitimate political issue.

But the control of our representative legislature by and in the interest of the organized traffic in alcohol would be a challenge to every self-respecting citizen, regardless of his opinion on prohibition or any other phase of the temperance problem. It would be a challenge he would answer, and the masterful and adroit gentlemen of the liquor lobby will do well to realize before it is too late that nothing could more effectually and powerfully advance the prohibition movement than a knowledge that our legislature had passed into their hands.

As it is, the saloon plays a vicious and all too prominent rôle in our politics. The ethics of organized liquor are about as ruthless and conscienceless as any force in public affairs, and whatever the variety of opinion as to legislation affecting the liquor traffic, there is none among distinterested citizens as to the propriety of government by the liquor traffic.

The introduction, consideration, and passage or defeat of legislation for or against the manufacture, sale, or use of intoxicants are a part of the legislature's duty. But the organization of the legislature for the purpose of suppressing legislation is another matter.

Illinois is not yet ready to throw over republican government and accept a dictatorship of rum.

A NAVAL GENERAL STAFF.

The terms of the provision in the naval bill for a "strategical bureau" are not at hand, so that informed comment upon this measure is not now possible. But its approval by the house naval committee is to be welcomed at any rate as evidence that the necessity for better agencies of defense coördination and preparation is coming home to at least one responsible committee.

The most important event, perhaps, in the history of our regular army was the creation of the general staff. The navy lacks and sorely needs a general staff. If this "strategical board," with its "chief of operations," is an agency corresponding in authority and responsibilities to the general staff of the army, it will be able to accomplish great things for the navy. But it should have ample powers; otherwise it will be bullied by doctrinaire civilian secretaries or used as a scapegoat for incompetents.

A naval establishment is one of the most complicated of organisms. To administer it well, to develop it, to keep it ready for use in any crisis should not be left to haphazard. There should be a body of experts working constantly and harmoniously upon its problems. Secretaries come and go according to political fortunes. They are all civilians. That is our system, but we should reduce its defects to a minimum by providing a continuing body of experts—continuing as a body but not as to personnel—to develop naval policy, provide plans of operation, study and help to solve problems, coördinate management, and act as authoritative adviser to the secretary, the president, and congress on all naval matters.

In other words, we ought to have intelligence enough to learn from the experience of England, the greatest of naval powers, the value of an admiralty or, as the Germans call their corresponding body, a general staff for the navy.

The Best Editorial of the Day.

BE AMERICANS FIRST.

[From the Eagle Magazine.]

Thanks to American valor and American statesmanship, the idea that a man may choose the country of his citizenship has become firmly imbedded in the laws of nations. Although a government may today prevent its citizens from leaving their native land—it does not always happen that it can—when once they are located and naturalized in another country they are as free from all obligations to the old and as secure in their rights in the new as if they had been born in the country of their adoption. In America the adopted citizen has with one exception rights equal to those of the native born. That exception is eligibility to the office of president. And his sons may even attain that office.

Now the freedom, security, and opportunity offered by naturalization imply corresponding duties—duties strongly implied in the precept, "Be Americans first." In the present hour of "storm and stress," when the most deplorable of existing evils is a monstrous war, it would seem that the first duty of Americans is to preserve peace. The United States has declared its neutrality, and what the government demands of all collectively it requires of each individually.

Belligerent advocacy of one of the warring nations is a mark of disloyalty to this country. When an alien becomes an American citizen he renounces forever all foreign political allegiance and swears fealty to this republic. There is no divided allegiance. The ties of naturalization are as sacred and binding and exclusive as those of marriage. Just as the young pair leave the parental roof to found a new home and a new family, so the emigrant departs from the mother country and, coming to the new, establishes another home and becomes a member of another family among the nations.

The people of this great commonwealth are in lineage English, Irish, Scotch, Swedes, Norwegians, Germans, French, Italians, Poles, Dutch, Russians, Greeks, Armenians, Spaniards, Ethiopians, Hungarians, Arabs—or mixtures of some of these. Yet are they all Americans; and not only Americans, but Americans above everything else, with a community of interest which constitutes the surest bond of union.

As America is our country, so all Americans are our compatriots; and as we increasingly realise this there will be fewer and fewer societies of Irish-Americans, German-Americans, Polish-Americans, and what not hyphenated American societies. It cannot be gainsaid that such societies have done much to overcome the loneliness of foreigners when first they have come to this country, but it should be remembered that the organizing of groups of persons on the basis of race identity results in unpleasant antagonisms. Therefore, in the interests of themselves as well as of the community, persons of like lineage should try to avoid clannishness. The strong political party known as the Native-American, or Know-Nothing party, which attained great influence about 1850, sought the proscription of all foreigners and the repeal of the naturalization laws because adopted citizens insisted upon assuming a hyphenated class name.

Particularly in the present crisis should persons refrain from affiliations that in any way separate them from their fellow citizens, and should do everything they can to promote a spirit of national unity.

A LINE-O'-TYPE OR TWO.

Cuicquid agunt homines nostri est farrago libelli.—JUVENAL.

Passing Tribute to a Cy.

Our old friend Bunn was quite a guy,
And long he filled our eye,
But still he lacked the melodi
We find in Cy De Vry.

It works both ways—take Vry or Cy;
It even rimes with Chi.
Why don't our poets versify
A bit on Cy De Vry? DEKE.

WE have wondered more than once why some candidate for mayor doesn't incorporate in his platform a plank calling for the widening of Twelfth street. It is a grand young issue and would be popular. The widening of Twelfth street is the one issue that raises us to a fever of enthusiasm. We could sit up till daybreak to talk about it.

THE argot of the various trades must be interesting. There was the coffee salesman whom we mentioned once, who, spreading out a handful of his wares, said to the grocer: "That's a swell looking bean and a great drinker." Can any of our gadder readers match that striking bit of trade jargon?

O Shamrockbaum! O Shamrockbaum!
Wie gruen sind deine Blaetter!

Sir: I am one of "the rale old stock," so am in a position to give you some inside information. We sing it now in accordance with our new alliance:

"Oh the sauerkraut! the green immortal sauerkraut!
Chosen feed of bard and chief,
Ireland's German sauerkraut!" MAYO.

THE evening of Jan. 18 presents an e. of r., Gilbert and Sullivan at the Auditorium and Bernard Shaw at the Blackstone.

CONTORTIONISTS OF FICTION.

Sir: Now comes the Atlantic Monthly, straight from Boston, with a story the heroine of which sits "partly prone in her worm-eaten armchair." L. B.

THE Kenosha Opera house advertises in the Racine paper: "Car service between convenient and good." Whereas Chicago's car service is between inconvenient and atrocious.

THE ENRAPTURED REVIEWER.
[From the Sterling Gazette.]

Mrs. Slocum as a pianist ranks with the best, professionals not excepted. Her fingering is wonderful and the most difficult music written is under her execution, and consequently the perfect rythm is always present in her playing as well as the harmony. She gets it all out and to the delight of her audience. Miss Mathers also has the art of getting the most of the pieces which she plays, the bok being under her full control and with such perfect ease that it is a delight to all her listeners. She gets in minutia the music she plays and consequently never fails to delight her audience to a point where they pay strictest attention.

"WILSON Refuses for Sixth Time to Aid Suffrage."—Headline.

The most dramatic moment in history since Cæsar, thrice upon the Lupercal, refused a kingly crown.

A NORTH-BOUND Halsted street car, supersubbied, was approaching Harrison street. "Do you want Harrison?" bawled out the conductor to the straphangers near the door. "No, we want Sweitzer," they bawled in reply.

CONSIDERABLE MAKE-UP.
[From the valued Herald.]

Mrs. Harold Howard, a lady of the '80s in a brocade gown with a large bustle and a little bonnet tied under her chin.

"HIGH Grade Clothes Exclusively ¼ Off. The Clean-Up Is On!"—Adv.

Why not take 'em all off?

A LINE in the timetable of the Chicago, St. Louis and Jacksonville explains why the rates are so low: "Equipment—All steel."

THE THOUSAND AND ONE AFTERNOONS

IV.

'THE most extraordinary thing happened,' replied Miss Perkins, turning to the merchant prince. 'The Boss sent for Ben Bolt, and cursed him by and large, up and down, and to and fro. "How long have you worked for me?" said he. "Twenty-seven years," sniveled the ancient slave. "And what am I paying you?" said the Boss. "Twelve dollars a week," confessed Ben. "All of that?" said the Boss. And he called the villain of a first mate, who had put the job up on Ben, and ordered him to make the old man's wages a hundred dollars a month. "If he doesn't quit taking money that doesn't belong to him, make it a hundred and fifty," said the Boss. "By gravy, I'll stop that old fool's stealing if I have to take him into the firm!"...I call that story,' concluded Miss Perkins, *'Paid In Full, or the Reward of Virtue.'*

'An excellent tale,' said the office manager, who had listened with both ears. 'It is nothing,' said Saidee, 'compared with a thousand others that I know.' At this moment Stuffy Durkin, the office boy, slipped in, perhaps (as the chronicler of this never to be forgotten narrative suspects) at the instigation of the fair Saidee. 'O Miss Perkins,' said he, 'you promised to tell me the *Story of the Pink Shirt.*' 'Did I?' said she. 'Well, you will have to hold you breath until tomorrow, as I have a date at five-fifteen. I'm sure Mr. Houssain would like to hear it, too. It's a peach of a yarn.'

Houssain looked again on his First Stenographer and Private Secretary, and saw that her face was like the rising full moon, and her hair like the plumage of the raven, and her eyelashes like those of Night; her figure put to shame the young birches of the forest, and her voice was more melodious than the watercourses of the hills. And he remembered the words of the Oriental poet—

She is like to the peach kist by the sun, and the mole on her cheek
Is a globule of ambergris dropped on the face of a ruby.

And Houssain, having remembefed and noted all this, replied:

'Sure. I'd like to hear the story.'

(To be continued.)

"THEY are nicely located in a cottage on the street car line."—Shelby County, O., Democrat.

Just like one of the Consumer Co.'s coal wagons.

AN uncommonly inspired compositor on the New York World made it "Horace Fletcher, American fool theorist."

ANOTHER reason for the street car jam, contribs Doc, is that they are super-bustbied.

We Fear So.

Sir: I have sent you several epistles addressed, "B. L. T., the W. G. N., Chicago." Did you get them? B. W.

"WANTED—A fresh cow, or soon to be fresh, to feed a baby."—Pontiac Leader.

As the Englishman said, if the beggar can also wait on table we'll engage her.

"PESTILENCE at Przemysl."—Headline.

German myals, perhaps, hazards C. W. D. P.

GUESS YES.

Sir: P. P. Heller & Bro. run a grocery in Saginaw, Mich. I guess they are some Hellers. D. B.

"LET me finish the work I have begun in Chicago."—Mr. Harrison.

COMMENT by discouraged person who is trying to write a humorous column:

"GOOD night!" B. L. T.

How to Keep Well. By Dr. W. A. Evans.

Questions pertinent to hygiene, sanitation, and prevention of disease, if matters of general interest, will be answered in this column. Where space will not permit or the subject is not suitable, letters will be personally answered, subject to proper limitations and where a stamped, addressed envelope is inclosed. Dr. Evans will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases. Requests for such service cannot be answered.

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CHOOSE YOUR BIRTHDAY.

THE authorities are agreed on one point about twilight sleep. The method is only to be applied in hospitals and clinics provided with good nurses and good internes, or in homes temporarily converted into hospitals and properly equipped.

This teaching helps another situation. The heavy death rate among newly born babies is among those born in small, cramped homes, for a home which ordinarily is ample becomes very cramped when it becomes in part a hospital. Any influence which attracts maternity cases to the hospitals will lower the infant death rate.

In the Wesley hospital, Chicago, in addition to the use of twilight sleep, has been instituted a policy of intelligent action for one of watchful waiting. It is called "prudent prolepsis." A day and even an hour is set for the delivery. The first consideration is that the mother desires it, and, next, that the case is a proper one.

There must be no latent infections present, ready to be stirred up. From every standpoint the case must be one proper for the procedure.

Second, the time set must be within ten days or thereabouts of the expected date, which has been checked up and confirmed by the physical findings.

Everything all right, the mother picks out her day and hour. If she has sentiment, now is the time to exercise it. But more important, the physician advocates a time and hour when all conditions are in the highest degree favorable.

Things having been made ready with the care usual in surgical operations, the mother's natural pains are induced, like starting a clock. The long, tedious hours of the first stage are shortened materially.

This is the important part of the Wesley hospital method. The advantage is that the mother is spared exhaustion and the baby is protected from strain. Twilight sleep is added as soon as possible, and the sensation of pain is abolished.

Under this method the total period of labor is definitely shortened. The babe is not endangered. The fatigue of the mother is less, and therefore the danger of infection is diminished. Used in connection with twilight sleep, the exhaustion is less.

The conduct of these cases is active rather than passive; it is assisting rather than observing; it is guiding and protecting the patient instead of leaving her helpless in the clutch of her martyrdom.

It will do great harm if carelessly or unintelligently carried out. Carried out in a hospital, great advantage is claimed for it.

CARE OF COLDS.

J. R. writes: "I am inclined to take severe colds. They usually begin with irritation in the throat, followed by a slight discharge. Gradually the nose becomes infected and discharges fluid. After a week or so the trouble develops into a hawking cough with a heavy discharge from the throat that lasts for about two weeks. Having had lung trouble I fear these colds. I want to ask you how to prevent colds and how to take care of them."

REPLY.

Improve your resistance to colds by building up your general health. To do this, do not overeat. Keep the organs of elimination normal. Take cold baths in the morning; sleep in a cold, well ventilated room; avoid crowds and overheated rooms and assembly halls; keep the teeth, tonsils, nose, and throat clean, and breathe nothing but clean air.

Take a purge, go to bed, and drink an abundance of water. Do not overeat. If the cold persists, have a physician examine and advise you.

BE CHARY OF DRUGS.

C. Q. writes: "Is it advisable and satisfactory to treat a case of chronic nasal catarrh with peroxide of hydrogen, argural and adrenatin ointment? Can the first two items be used in an atomizer or nebulizer with safety? Is argural poisonous if swallowed?"

REPLY.

1. Generally speaking, no. In the first place there is no such a thing as catarrh. You may have a catarrhal condition of the mucous membranes lining your nose. If so, you should have a physician, preferably a specialist, examine your nose and advise you as to treatment. You should not use any of the drugs to which you refer unless some physician has told you to do so.
2. Yes.
3. Not in small quantities.

ADENOIDS IN ADULT.

A. M. J. writes: "Kindly inform me if it is safe for a woman of thirty-nine to have her tonsils removed and her nose treated for adenoids? She has great difficulty in swallowing on account of some obstruction at the base of the tongue, which causes constant coughing and gagging, and also has muscular rheumatism. She is also highly nervous."

REPLY.

There is no way of knowing. Successful operations for the corrections of just such conditions are being performed every day.

MAY CAUSE HARM.

Mrs. N. T. C. writes: "Several of my friends have been using a preparation to stop perspiration in the armpits. Will you advise if a preparation of this kind would be injurious?"

REPLY.

There is some danger. You might escape and probably would, but the danger is real.

LA MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

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LORD NEWPORT, who has just through the death of his father become fifth Earl of Bradford, is a far more widely known and active man than were his two immediate predecessors in the family honors. He served as private secretary, first of all, to the late Lord Salisbury when prime minister, and afterwards to the marquis' nephew and successor in the premiership, Arthur J. Balfour. He also went through the Boer war with his regiment, the Royal Scots, with which he is now again serving at the front in France.

He came of age on the day that his parents celebrated their silver wedding and his grandparents their golden wedding, and, as he rightly observed on that occasion, it was a unique instance of three such anniversaries being celebrated on the selfsame day.

He is married to the eldest daughter of Lord Aberdare. She is in mourning for her eldest brother, Capt. the Hon. Henry Bruce, who lost his life on the battlefields of France the other day, leaving a childless widow, the former Anglo-American actress, Camille Clifford.

Lord Bradford, like his father and grandfather before him and like also his eldest son, bears the peculiar Christian name of Orlando, in memory of his ancestor, Sir Orlando Bridgeman, who was lord high chancellor of Charles II., and described by Macaulay and other historians as having had his ideas of justice and equity on a par with his frivolous sovereign's notions of morality.

The earls of Bradford, who likewise represent the now extinct house of Newport in Shropshire that flourished there in the fourteenth century, make their home at Castle Bromwich near Birmingham, which has come to them through the Newports, are rich and have always played a prominent rôle on the turf. The third earl won the Derby in 1892 with his celebrated horse, Hugo. He is on record as having sat for thirty years in the house of lords without ever once opening his mouth to address his fellow peers.

Those Americans who have been presented at the court of Berlin will be sorry to hear of the death of the kaiser's master of the ceremonies, Cabrera, Count di Morella, who was one of its most popular dignitaries and particularly attentive to the foreign guests of the emperor and empress. This was perhaps due to the fact that he was himself of foreign birth and origin.

He was born as a Spaniard, a son of that celebrated Carlist leader, Ramon Cabrera, Count di Morella, while his mother, who survives him at considerably over 90 years of age, is an Englishwoman, a daughter of the late Robert Vaughan Richards, Q. C., and makes her home at Wentworth, Virginia Water, Surrey, in England.

Her son as a boy attracted the attention of Empress Augusta at Coblenz, where she was wont to spend the greater portion of the year, and where he was receiving his education.

At her instance he entered the German army and received a commission in the Second regiment of dragoons of the Prussian guard, and was subsequently transferred at her request to the post of chamberlain of her household.

Emperor William took a liking to him, and after the old empress' death he appointed Cabrera to be master of the ceremonies at his court.

With regard to his celebrated father, Ramon Cabrera, Count di Morella, who had been brought up as a priest, and who had taken the minor orders, he was known as "the Tiger of Maestrazgo" by reason of the ferocity of his warfare.

This had been aroused by the atrocious indignities and tortures inflicted upon his mother and three sisters by the royal troops before the unfortunate women were put to death.

After the defeat of the first Carlist insurrection, which had lasted for seven years, he fled to France, where he was arrested by King Louis Philippe and incarcerated in the fortress of Ham, where Louis Napoleon, afterwards emperor of the French, was likewise confined.

In 1848 he headed another Carlist war, but refused to take any part in the subsequent risings, owing to his disapproval of the men by whom the late Don Carlos was surrounded.

In 1873, indeed, he went so far as to issue a manifesto calling upon all patriotic Spaniards to submit to King Alfonso XII., who had just been restored to the throne, and thus to put an end to those Carlist wars which had been a source of such widespread ruin and devastation to the peninsula.

Don Carlos responded by a proclamation in which he denounced Cabrera as a traitor; whereupon King Alfonso bestowed upon him the rank of captain general—that is to say, of field marshal—in the royal Spanish army, besides confirming him in the title of Count di Morella, which had been originally conferred upon him by the first Don Carlos.

Lord St. Oswald is among the peers of the realm who have been placed in mourning through the death of his eldest son and heir, the Hon. Rowland Winn, who, in his twenty-first year, had but recently received a commission in his father's old regiment, the Coldstream guards, and whose name now figures in the latest list of the officers killed in the operations against the Germans in France.

Fortunately he was not an only son, and Lord and Lady St. Oswald have three other boys, one of 18, another of 16, and the youngest 6 years of age, to assure the succession of the family honors and estates.

These are extensive and include Nostell priory in Yorkshire, which, not far from Doncaster, has been in their family for over two centuries.

It was founded and endowed as a monastery by Henry I., and existed as such for 400 years, until the reformation, when it came into the possession of the Gargrave family. As in the case of so many of the families who obtained a share of the confiscated church property in the reign of Henry VIII., the Gargraves were overtaken by misfortune, and Thomas Gargrave, one of the owners of the place, suffered death on the gallows at York for murdering one of his servants and for poisoning and burning in the oven another of his domestics, a boy belonging to his kitchen.

Sir Richard Gargrave was reduced by extravagance and profligacy to penury and was forced to submit to the sale of the estates, including Nostell priory, for the benefit of his creditors.

It is not the present Lord St. Oswald but his father who was the perpetrator of a celebrated theft at Eton. While a schoolboy there the famous block at which the students of that ancient scholastic institution had knelt to receive their birchings throughout countless generations mysteriously disappeared, and, although for a long time no trace could be discovered of its whereabouts or a clew to the person who had been bold enough to carry it off from the head master's library and from under the very nose of that august dignitary, it subsequently transpired that the culprit was no other than the boy who subsequently became Lord St. Oswald.

1914 CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

[From Der Wahre Jacob.]

The Friend of the People.

Letters for this department must be signed with names and addresses of the writers.

BARRED FROM PRIMARY ELECTION.

Chicago, Jan. 3.—[To the Friend of the People.]—Kindly inform me whether or not a registered voter can vote at the coming primaries for the Republican candidate, having voted the Democratic ticket at the last primary.

MRS. M. A. SWANSON,
8820 Indiana avenue.

This party, having voted the primary ballot of the Democratic party at the last primary, cannot lawfully vote the primary ballot of a different political party at the primary of Feb. 23, 1915. The express provision of section 43 of the primary act is that no person can vote at a primary if he shall have voted at a primary of another political party within the period of two years next preceding such primary. This two year period goes back to Feb. 22, 1913, and includes the primaries of August, 1914, February, 1914, and February, 1913. This same section does provide, however, that participation by a primary elector in the primary of a political party which is a political party within a city only and entitled to make nominations for city offices only and for no other office, shall not disqualify such primary elector from participating in other primaries of his party. Chicago has no such party. All parties in Chicago are state wide parties under the provisions of the direct primary law. This exception was intended to cover independent and nonpartisan parties which operate in local communities and are made up of Democrats, Republicans, and members of all the political parties in the community for local purposes only.

DENNIS J. EGAN,
Chief Clerk of Election Board.

RAILWAY SUBWAY HINDERS NEW CARS.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—[To the Friend of the People.]—Permit me to call your attention to the poor service now being rendered by the surface lines on Fifty-first street. We are forced to use the old type cars, which are very dirty and about to fall to pieces. The cars very frequently complete their runs at either Wentworth avenue or Halsted street, making it necessary for its patrons to wait for another car, and forcing them to be late to their places of employment.

F. THOMAS.

We have been prevented from installing double truck cars on the Fifty-first street line by the fact that the present subway under the steam railroad tracks has not sufficient headroom to permit the operation of these cars. Traffic has been seriously interfered with by track elevation construction, which is largely responsible for irregularities in service. Dec. 30 the council passed an ordinance to enable the city to enlarge the subway under the Rock Island tracks, and on the completion of this work it will be possible for us to install the double truck equipment. With reference to the schedule on this line the headway during normal hours is five minutes, which is reduced to two and one-half minutes at the maximum of the morning and evening rush hour. Except in the case of a serious breakdown there is no reason for turning back these cars at Halsted street or Wentworth avenue, and our superintendent of transportation will check up the movement of the cars on the Fifty-first street line.

CHICAGO SURFACE LINES.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

DEFENDS VOLLMER RESOLUTION

Chicago, Jan. 7.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—As I sincerely believe you do not desire to spread the opinion that the friends of the Vollmer resolution are unpatriotic Americans, although an editorial in your paper seems to imply that intention, I beg to ask you to publish the following argument:

At the very outset you will note that this resolution gives the president discretionary power to place an embargo upon certain articles, and you will then note that these articles are limited to weapons, ammunition, and munitions of war (except foodstuffs), hence millions of articles which are manufactured in the United States, such as wearing apparel of every description, household goods of every nature, vehicles transporting sound thought, merchandise, and human beings, except weapons; articles designed to instruct, give pleasure to the human senses, or correct human errors, except such as are designed to kill in war human beings; articles used in the arts and sciences (except such as are intended to be used during this war to kill human beings with) are excluded from the operation of this resolution.

Permit me to explain this to you, because I have made many converts as soon as it was well known that the Vollmer resolution is quite limited and leaves it to the discretion of the president when and how it will be enforced.

You evidently did not read the Vollmer resolution before you wrote the editorial attacking its friends.

From remarks made in Washington I am led to believe that the majority of the American people desire to give to our president the legal right which will be his when the Vollmer resolution becomes a law.

In conclusion let me assure you that America today has no more loyal, patriotic, and earnest supporters of our constitution and of the rights of Americans than are the friends of the Vollmer resolution, and that these friends are now drawn from every phase of American society, religious belief, political adherence, and national descent. Southern senators and representatives, Wilson Democrats, northern Republicans, and Progressives, all furnish friends for this measure.

HORACE L. BRAND.

PROHIBITION AND POLITICS.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—A few weeks ago you published a statement of the beneficial effects of prohibition in Russia, giving the story your first page. For doing this you deserved the thanks of every decent person in Chicago. Now, let me ask, with all the facts contained in that story, and with all the facts of Chicago's debased element before you, how is it that your paper does not fight the liquor business?

You see how the best people all over this country are trying to get rid of drunkenness, and you know how strongly entrenched the liquor business is in our politics. You know why President Wilson and Mr. Bryan are fighting shy of national prohibition, while they both habitually abstain from strong drink. President Wilson, not venturing to condemn the worst business on earth, says that the liquor question is a state question. Now along comes Mr. Bryan, who says the same thing.

Some tell us that we cannot, or ought not, legislate ahead of the people. Why, all reform legislation is ahead of the people. There would be very little legislation if we did not legislate ahead of a very large element in the land.

Inherently the liquor business is wrong. It cannot be defended on any ethical or humane grounds. And we have just as much right to say that men shall not have liquor as to say that they shall not have opium. In fact, it is better for people to take opium than it is for them to take liquor. The opium eater is harmless and simply dries up.

ROBERT MORRIS RAU.

FOREIGNERS IN OUR STATE SERVICE.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—When we are made acquainted with certain facts and figures we begin to wonder whether or not President Wilson's neutrality proclamation is merely a sham. When it is known that there are employed in our foreign consular service over 125 subjects of the British government, we might well be excused for doubting.

According to the state department's official register of November, 1913, in this list are included three Englishmen in important clerkships in our embassy in London, a deputy consul general in London, two deputy consuls in Liverpool, a vice consul and a deputy consul in Manchester—all British subjects. In Paris we have more Englishmen employed in the consulate general than Americans. In Hamburg we have an Englishman employed as vice consul general. The same condition is likewise found in The Hague, in Berlin, and St. Petersburg.

It may also be said that 90 per cent of the American newspapers are decidedly pro-British. Rumors, semi-official and unofficial announcements and reports coming from London are given the greatest prominence. Their editorial columns are given over to vitriolic attacks on Germany; the acts of the German soldiers are magnified to a great degree, and they become through our "neutral" papers "baby killers," "barbarians," and the like.

What do we read concerning similar bomb dropping escapades of the allies' soldiers?

In their recent attacks by bombs on German towns in which women and children were killed and wounded, we are no doubt told by English papers that these were acts of "great heroism, performed by brave soldiers at risk of their lives." T. J. M.

MILITARY SCHOOLS AND THE ARMY.

Wenonah, N. J., Jan. 2.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—We have 102 colleges and preparatory schools under the United States detail, from which hundreds of young men of splendid physical and mental attainments could be drawn. A number of these boys can maneuver a battalion with the precision of an army officer; in fact, better than some of the men who hold commissions in our army today—men who were appointed from civil life without regard to fitness, as was done in the late Spanish war. These men are now on the retired list and are drawing from $125 to $195 a month. I say this advisedly because of personal experience.

If the government would give a proper recognition to the military schools in the United States this country would have as good, if not a better, set of officers than any country in the world, and at a great saving in cost to the government.

CHARLES H. LORENCE.

WOMAN FREEZES FOOT RIDING ON CAR PLATFORM

Victim of Crowded Trolley Under Care of Doctor After Cold Spell.

How a woman froze her toes so severely by riding on the Blue Island avenue line that a doctor's services were required constitutes one of the more recent complaints against existing street car abuses.

Mary E. Norton of 1606 Loomis street is the complainant. She told her story in a letter to William M. Lawton, attorney for the Cook county real estate board, who is preparing to present the board's case against the surface and elevated lines before the state public utilities commission next Monday.

"I ride on the famous Blue Island avenue line and, as I am forced to be at my place of business at 8 o'clock, I must get on the first car that comes along," she wrote to Mr. Lawton. "During our recent cold spell I had to ride on the rear platform all the way down.

Must Visit Doctor Again.

"As a consequence, I had the toes on my right foot frozen. My foot is in such shape now that I have to wear an old pair of shoes, and while I have had the foot treated it is in a very irritated condition and I will have to see another doctor.

"The poor service given by the Blue Island line is known the city over. This morning, coming downtown, car 664 passed me by as if I were no more than the lamp post standing at the corner. The only corner where you are sure of getting on is at a cross line, where they are forced to stop."

Attorney Lawton yesterday issued an open call to all civic organizations, commercial organizations, and individuals interested in better traction service in Chicago to attend the first meeting of the Better Public Service association at the rooms of the Cook County Real Estate board, 35 North Dearborn street, today at 2:30 p. m.

Intend to Incorporate.

Mr. Lawton said it is intended to incorporate the association and make it a permanent institution in Chicago for all the purposes that the name implies.

"We trust every civic organization will have a member present prepared to cooperate in this work," announced Mr. Lawton. "To insure the success of the movement this association needs members from every part of the city of Chicago. I strongly urge that everybody opposed to the continuance of straphanging will attend this meeting."

Should Defer to Public.

Following the action of the Ravenswood Improvement association in joining the anti-straphanging crusade, Chairman Block of the local transportation committee of the council complained to President B. I. Budd of the Chicago Elevated Railways company.

"Will you kindly advise me," writes Ald. Block, "whether it is not possible for the elevated railways to adapt their service more nearly to the demands of the traveling public."

Another development was a petition signed by fifty residents of Summerdale and Edgewater protesting against the service on the Rosehill surface line. James S. Griffith of 1826 Summerdale avenue, in a letter to Ald. Pretzel and Lipps of the Twenty-sixth ward, said one of the causes of bad service is the switching back of cars to the city at Irving Park boulevard and Robey street, and also at Lawrence avenue and Robey street.

He declared cars run from one to forty minutes apart.

Owing to the absence of night service, it is said, street car patrons working at night sometimes are compelled to walk two miles to their homes after leaving the nearest street car lines.

Conductor Rude to Woman.

Numerous complaints of rudeness to women passengers on the part of conductors and motormen are contained in the letters that are received by THE TRIBUNE.

The following, from Mrs. W. S. Wilcox, 3810 Flournoy street, is an average sample:

"On the afternoon of Dec. 30, with my five children, I waited at the corner of Central Park and Harrison for a car reading either 'Harrison and State' or 'Harrison and Clinton.' Six cars reading 'Harrison and Racine' passed. After a wait of about thirty minutes a 'Harrison and State' came along.

Makes Insulting Reply.

"As I got on I said to the conductor, 'My, but I waited a long time for this car! Were the cars blocked?' His reply was, 'What did you wait for? Did any one ask you to wait for this car?' I believe the conductor's number was 8,684. He had a red mustache and was stout.

"I pressed the button to stop at Sholto street, and because I did not act quickly enough with my five children he gave the signal to go ahead, and carried us to the far side of Morgan street."

Other Letters of Complaint.

Other letters received by THE TRIBUNE follow:

H. P. Meyer, Mitchell Automobile company—One of our stenographers on the evening of Dec. 30 waited at Twenty-third and Cottage Grove from 5:30 to about 6:05, in weather almost down to zero, before a single car stopped. Most of these cars were crowded to the doors, but some had room. About fifty people were waiting at this point. I myself have waited fifteen minutes at this corner before a door would be opened to let us in, and then we would be jammed beyond any sense of comfort, respect, or decency. The company should start a number of cars south from Cottage Grove in the evening.

E. M. Collins, 515 West Twenty-fourth place—On the evening of Dec. 30 I waited at Halsted and Archer for an Ashland avenue car for thirty-five minutes. When it did arrive it was so crowded that men were hanging on the back of the car. I waited thirty minutes longer. During that time four Ashland avenue cars passed, but they were so crowded it was impossible for me to get aboard. Getting disgusted, I finally took a Halsted street car, and it took me two hours to get to 515 West Twenty-fourth place from Halsted and Archer.

William Brown, 2325 North Kenneth avenue—I arrive at Milwaukee and Fullerton avenues at 6:30 and transfer west on Fullerton. There are about seventy-five people waiting, and about 6:45 a car arrives on which people are hanging away out on the rear platform. This car never stops for the Milwaukee avenue crossing. The next car arrives about 7 o'clock, and this is also crowded. I have never yet been able to get a car much before 7:10 for the last three months.

Irene Strom, 4607 North Lincoln street—When Rosehill cars reach Division street about 5:50 p. m. going north the cars are so crowded that to let some one out the buttons are torn from your clothes. Standing room is a luxury. On the evening of Dec. 29, in that snowstorm, I waited fifty-five minutes for a northbound Rosehill car at Irving Park boulevard. What is more, the conductors are very discourteous.

Girl He Married and Girl He Didn't; Latter Asks $25,000.

In a breach of promise suit for $25,000 damages filed in the Circuit court against Harry Heidhues, son of Eberhard Heidhues of E. Heidhues & Co., at 223 West Jackson boulevard, Miss Mae E. Foster of Urbana, Ill., alleges that Mr. Heidhues promised to marry her on "request." Miss Foster, who is a member of the university community in Urbana, says she met Heidhues while he was attending the University of Illinois and helped him in many ways. She says she believes his parents objected to the marriage because she was older than he. She says her heart was broken when she read of Mr. Heidhues' marriage to Miss Elsie Henrici, daughter of the late Carl Henrici, former Chicago restaurateur, in June, 1913. Heidhues has filed an answer denying breach of promise.

ALDERMEN CUT MOTORING COST

Slash Daily Expense to City Employes from $3.75 to $1.65.

ORDER AFFECTS 38 MEN.

The council committee on finance last night learned exactly what it costs to run a $500 automobile. Then it ordered a stop put to the practice of allowing $3.75 a day for this purpose to employés who own their machines.

The budget for 1915 was amended so that those employés will receive $35 a month for the maintenance and operation of their cars, which means a "loss" during the year of at least $600—or the price of the car and the expense of its use after hours—when compared with what they received in 1914. The aldermen said they took the step to end the practice of "giving away" automobiles to employés.

They based their action on decimally detailed estimates prepared by the efficiency division of the civil service commission from records of automobile companies and private owners. The conclusion was that a daily allowance of $1.65 would cover the cost of twenty-five miles driven in the city's service.

Cost of Motoring.

The estimates of the efficiency division were based on the following tabulation:

Fixed charges per year:			
Depreciation at 20 per cent	$100	Insur. and taxes.	75
Int. at 6 per cent.	18	Labor of upkeep.	75
Garage rent	120		$402
License	14		
Operating cost per mile:			
Gasoline	$ .01	Supplies	.006
Oil	.002		
Tires	.017	Total per mile.	$.044
Repairs	.01		

Thirty-eight Men Hit.

Thirty-eight employés were hit by the abolition of the $3.75 allowance and three other employés allowed $2,500 for the maintenance of their cars last year also were affected.

The committee, practically abolished the sewer bureau as an independent institution by placing the sewer pumping stations in the same division as the water pumping stations, and transferring the sewer cleaning and repairing work to the bureau of streets.

It again halted when at the close of the night session the question of increasing the police force was raised. On motion of Ald. C. E. Merriam action was postponed until the report of an expert "trimming commission" which this morning will begin to cut down appropriations other than salaries and fixed charges. It consists of Chairman John A. Richert, Secretary Herbert B. White, Mark Foote of the controller's office, and Mr. Jacobs.

CONTINUING APPROPRIATION FOR CHICAGO HARBOR ASKED.

Corporation Counsel and Aldermen Call on House Members at Washington.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—Corporation Counsel Bockwith and Ald. Healey and Littler of Chicago today called on members of the house rivers and harbors committee to ask an amendment to the appropriation bill making the appropriation for Chicago harbor a continuing one.

The Chicagoans tomorrow will call on the board of United States engineers at the war department to discuss the progress of the work at Chicago.

They told the committee today that in letting the contract they would be able to get lower bids if the bidders find that the work is sure to continue from year to year until completed.

MERRIAM'S AID IS ROBBED.

Harry W. Herwitz, Secretary to Seventh Ward Alderman, Loses Stickpin and $5.

Harry K. Herwitz of 7426 Crandon avenue, secretary to Ald. Merriam, chairman of the council crime investigating committee, was held up and robbed of $5 and a gold stickpin worth $12 at Lincoln and Barry avenues.

MATTERS' YOUNG WIDOW GETS HIS $150,000 ESTATE.

All of Banker's Property, Save $16,000 for Relatives, Goes to Woman He Wed in Fall.

The will of Fred Matters, the 70 year old banker and picture theater owner, whose sudden death in his Hyde Park boulevard apartment last Monday night is being investigated by the coroner's office, was filed for probate yesterday by Attorney Thomas P. Octigan. The widow, whom he married in October and who is 32 years old, receives all of the estate, estimated to be worth $150,000, except $16,000 in bequests to relatives.

Mrs. Minnie Snyder, Maud Lloyd, and Mary Cox, nieces of the deceased, are given an undivided one-third interest in a store building at Arcola, Ill., Matters' former home. Aggie Collett, a cousin, living in Minnesota, is given $1,000, and Mrs. Caroline Wilson of Prince Edward island $5,000. The balance of the real estate and personal property is given to the widow, who is named in the will as Anna D. Ledgerwood. The will was dated Aug. 18, something over two months before Matters' marriage.

Relatives residing at Arcola will contest the will, it is said.

AGED OFFICIAL, KNEW LINCOLN, NOW DESTITUTE

Simeon W. King Needs Aid After Fifty Years Spent in U. S. Service.

Simeon W. King, who has served for fifty years as a United States commissioner in Chicago, and who claims the distinction of never having missed a Desplaines campmeeting since they were started in 1800, is destitute. Mr. King is 83 years old, and for the last eight years has been living in a small hotel in Van Buren street, near State.

He received his first appointment during Lincoln's administration. He is the last surviving pallbearer appointed during the funeral services for President Lincoln in Chicago. Besides being a United States commissioner for the northern district of Illinois, Mr. King has been a notary public, a passport agent, commissioner for the United States Court of Claims at Washington, and commissioner of deeds in Chicago for every state in the union, all the provinces of Canada, China, Japan, Nicaragua, the Philippines, and several European and South American countries.

Fees Getting Scarce.

They are all appointive offices with no salary attached, however, the remuneration coming in the shape of fees, and in recent years the fees have not been many.

Officers and members of the Men's league of the Sunday Evening club, with which Mr. King has been connected since 1908, and several judges in Cook county are making arrangements for a permanent home for the aged man. Charles O. Tattershall, president of the Men's league, has arranged for Mr. King's admittance to the James C. King Home for Old Men in Garfield boulevard. A fund of $500, the usual admittance fee, is being raised.

Mr. King was born in Morgan county, O., and came to Chicago as a boy of 10 with only $16 in his pocket. He taught evening school later with the Rev. Robert Collyer and borrowed books to study law.

Knew Abraham Lincoln.

He entered the office of Goodrich, Farwell & Smith as a student and there first met Lincoln, who aided him in many ways to become a lawyer. He was graduated from the Union College of Law in 1863 and was admitted to practice by the Supreme court of Illinois the same year.

Gov. Yates appointed him on his war staff and he went to the front to assist in helping the wounded on the battlefield of Shiloh in 1862. He received his first appointment as United States commissioner from Judge Thomas Drummond in 1864. He has held the office ever since, being reappointed under each administration. He served for seven years as a member of the board of supervisors of Cook county and introduced the first resolution to establish a normal school in Englewood. He served as clerk of South Town and president of the board of audit.

Once when Mr. King was on a trip 1,000 miles from Chicago he read in an eastern newspaper that the Desplaines campmeeting was about to close. He packed his grip and boarded the first train for home, arriving in time to attend the last meeting and save his attendance record from being marred by a single absence.

Despite his many years of bachelorhood, Mr. King was married in 1902 to Mrs. Estelle Winter Gair, daughter of the late Dr. Peter Winter and a niece of John I. Blair, the railroad magnate of New Jersey. They separated several years ago.

Lincoln's Friend in Need of Help.

HOTEL MEN START WAR ON SHADY HOSTELRIES.

Join Hands with Aldermen to Remedy Evil—Stringent Ordinance Planned.

Representatives of the first class hotels of Chicago yesterday joined with the council committee on health in a search for means to put an end to hotels that serve as assignation houses.

Richard M. Gray of the Chicago Beach, president of the Chicago Hotelkeepers' association, Joseph Beifeld of the Hotel Sherman, and John C. Roth of the Great Northern and Congress hotels appeared as a committee to discuss the proposed appeal to the legislature for a law granting the city authority to license and regulate hotels.

Their attitude toward this proposal was that they objected to their hostelries being placed in the same class with rooming houses that not only do not guard against their rooms being used for immoral purposes but encourage that sort of business, in many instances catering to only that patronage. They urged that action be directed against the "shady" hotels, and to this plan the committee agreed.

WANTS AN AUDIT OF CITY FINANCES IN HIGHLAND PARK

Attorney Charges Lavish Expenditures of Special Assessment Funds.

The taxpayers of Highland Park are being treated to a redhot discussion of the expenditure of their money. Charges and countercharges are flying thick in the north shore suburb every day in the week and especially every Tuesday at the meetings of the city council.

The discussions have to do with the expenditure of taxes collected by special assessments for the improvement of streets, waterworks, and sewer systems. Candidates are said to be behind a demand presented to the city council last Tuesday night for an accounting of the city's finances.

Charges Lavish Expenditures.

It was charged by E. S. Gall, an attorney, that the fund raised by the special assessments had been spent lavishly in the letting of the contracts. No charges of dishonesty have been made, it was reported yesterday, but a system of alleged loose bookkeeping makes the special funds appear to be short some $53,000.

Attorney Gall charged that instead of being short that amount there really should be a surplus of $15,000 in the funds. He sent a letter to the council last Tuesday asking that these funds be checked over by an auditor.

Denies Any Discrepancy.

Samuel Holmes, city attorney, asserted there is no discrepancy in the accounts but merely a difference of opinion in the interpretation of the special assessment ordinances. Mr. Gall, according to City Attorney Holmes, was a candidate for city attorney at the last election and may have a reason for making an investigation.

"There has been some question about some of the ordinances," Attorney Holmes said. "That discussion has been going the rounds of the city for two years. The money that has been paid in has been accounted for and until the courts pass on the ordinances it will be difficult to tell just how much should be paid in and paid out."

SENATOR LEWIS STRICKEN.

Suffers Acute Indigestion Attack at Springfield—Cancels St. Louis Speaking Date.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 7.—United States Senator James Hamilton Lewis of Chicago is seriously ill at the executive mansion in this city with an attack of acute indigestion. Senator Lewis was taken ill upon his arrival in Springfield last night. A physician was called today and advised a rest of several days. Senator Lewis has canceled his engagement as the principal speaker tomorrow night at the Jackson day banquet at the Mercantile club of St. Louis.

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100.00	1 Carat	75
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35.00	1-2 of a Carat	20
25.00	3-8 of a Carat	15
12.00	1-8 of a Carat	7

GENTLEMEN'S RINGS

VALUATION	WEIGHT	OUR PRICE
$315.00	2 1-64 Carats	$225
165.00	1 3-8 Carats	110
150.00	1 3-16 Carats	100
145.00	1 1-8 Carats	95
115.00	1 5-16 Carats	75
125.00	1 5-8 Carats	90
70.00	1 1-4 Carats	50
35.00	1-2 of a Carat	20
25.00	3-8 of a Carat	15
15.00	1-8 of a Carat	8

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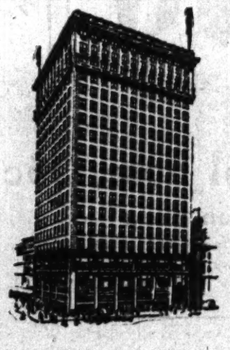

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The Materials—Ginghams, piques, poplins, crepes, and voiles appear in a variety of clever, original and altogether charming fashions. For example, four of these new frocks for little girls are sketched:

At the left center is a poplin Norfolk frock with black lacings very effective against the white, pink, or blue of the fabric. —special at $3.95.

At the left is a charming combination of pique and voile with a cleverly scalloped coatee, an especially designed and most becoming frock for stout girls of 12, 14 and 16 years. —special at $6.75.

At the right is a new Bolero frock in a plaid crepe with a skirt full pleated and collar and cuffs of embroidery. —special at $3.50.

At the right center is a striped gingham frock with sleeves and vestee of white voile daintily embroidered in colors. Especially is this frock designed for stout girls of 12, 14 and 16 years. —special at $7.50.

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than 1% per cent, without making his investment less productive than United States bonds.

Law Menaces City's Welfare.

"His net return would not exceed 2½ per cent and the United States bonds pay 3 per cent. The same rule applies to any other similar investment. The market price of bonds and other securities is made by the public throughout the country upon the basis of being nontaxable and no one can or will invest in any considerable amount of securities and pay taxes thereon.

"This state of the law is a grave menace to the welfare of the city of Chicago and cannot under the decisions of our Supreme court be relieved otherwise than through a change in our constitution."

Col. Foreman Won Over.

Col. Milton J. Foreman, who was chairman of the Chicago charter convention, favors the constitutional convention as the only method of procuring permanent relief. When the constitutional convention proposition was presented before the charter convention Col. Foreman voted against it. He has been converted since to believe this is the only way to handle the matter so it will provide the sort of revenue laws needed for Illinois.

"This cry against remedeling our constitution is all rot," said Col. Foreman. "The people of this state have had three constitutions, and certainly should be deemed intellectually capable of framing another one.

"The only way to secure home rule in its broadest sense for Chicago is through a constitutional convention. The only way to obtain adequate, equitable, reasonable, enforceable, and honest revenue laws for Illinois is through a constitution which makes proper provisions therefor."

Cole Opposes Patching.

George E. Cole, president of the Constitutional Convention league of Illinois, said further attempts to remedy the tax situation in Illinois through statutes or constitutional amendments would be like treating with court plaster a patient who needed an operation.

"They have been dosing the patient long enough," Mr. Cole said. "What we need is a thorough hospital treatment of the constitutional question that will give us a strong, healthy constitution which meets the requirements of present conditions.

"Efforts to procure tax reform through an amendment to our present constitution will be hopelessly snawed under by the advocates of other reforms because our constitution permits but one amendment every two years. The Illinois legislatures of the past have been deadlocked as to which proposition would be submitted to the people first.

"The advocates of the initiative and referendum want to be first before the people. The same with the advocates of woman's suffrage. There are a half dozen other propositions that would balk a constitutional amendment on the revenue clause at this legislature."

Mr. Cole said the proposition to amend the amending clause of the present constitution at its best is but a long way to accomplish the results to be obtained by a constitutional convention and an entirely new constitution.

Immediately after the inauguration of its new officers the Chicago Association of Commerce will take up the question of tax reforms. The matter will be in the hands of the real estate subcommittee of the executive committee.

"The first duty of the real estate subcommittee," said Joseph H. Defrees, retiring president of the association, "will be the investigation of tax laws. A report containing recommendations for changes will be submitted at an early meeting of the new executive committee.

County Board in Line.

Another organization to line up for tax reforms is the Cook county real estate board. Its legislative committee, which is headed by John B. Fox, will present a resolution at a special meeting on Tuesday calling on the members to use their influence to procure better state revenue statutes.

Frank G. Hoyne, who was instrumental in having the Chicago Real Estate board provide a legislative committee to work for tax reforms, said he would favor a constitutional convention as a means of relieving conditions, provided the convention could be made up of men of unquestioned ability who would not be controlled by personal interests.

"I am in favor of amending the amendment clause of our present constitution as a way out of the present tangle," said Mr. Hoyne. "The legislature, to my mind, even though it is made up of politicians, is a better body to handle such an important matter than a constitutional convention made up of political appointees."

Realty Committee Named.

The new legislative committee of the board was appointed during the day by President George H. Taylor. The committee is composed of the following:

Harry Goldman, Paul Steinbrecher,
Bertram M. Winston, Willis W. Baird,
H. G. Zander, Joseph C. Bisha,
Arthur B. Cody, Albert F. Keaney,
Henry E. Coonley.

The committee will hold its first meeting Tuesday afternoon at the board rooms to make plans to enlist all civic organizations in the movement to present to the legislature detailed demands for tax reform.

Shepard Makes Speech.

Attorney Frank L. Shepard, recognized as an expert in taxation matters, discussed the proposed revenue legislation and its relation to real estate at the weekly luncheon of the board. The address was a caustic arraignment of present conditions.

Starting with the statement that the burden cast on real estate as compared with the amount paid by personal property is unequal and inequitable and against the public interest, he declared the same is true with reference to certain classes of personal property as compared with other classes of personal property.

Present Law Enacted in 1872.

"The fundamental difficulty lies in the impracticable provisions of our present laws," said Mr. Shepard. "Our assessment law was enacted in 1872, and it was the reenactment then of the law of a still earlier period. While adequate for such period, nevertheless, the growth in population, industry, and diversity of pursuit, together with the evolution in business methods and in the evidences of property, has made such laws not only inadequate, but harmful.

"Classification of property must be permitted. Any system must involve to a greater or less degree the question of the appraisal or valuation of property, and we must emphasize the necessity of classification.

Evasion Is Invited.

"The system and rates now imposed invite evasions and violations of the law and, pressed to strict enforcement, would drive investments, such as in bonds and mortgages, from the state, and thus adversely affect the business and prosperity of the state, as well as to impair the incentive for industry and thrift. Contributions to the maintenance of government in the form of taxes are not made, as a rule, voluntarily. And so a law that is most nearly self-executing and automatic in its operation, such as the application of a definite rate or of a definite basis of assessment, is best.

"I do not mean to intimate that all personal property, or all persons owning personal property, now evade or escape taxation.

"Such new legislation as obviously is needed does not mean that owners of personal property shall now be exempt from or evade taxation, nor that such legislation will then exempt from taxation under its provisions. Nor does it mean that in the meantime officials shall not be encouraged in a reasonable enforcement of the laws they are elected to administer.

"But lying directly across the way of the enactment of such legislation are the limitations of our present constitution of 1870, drafted likewise to meet the situation of that period. The constitutional changes necessary to permit of such legislation is the first duty at hand."

Winston Favors Convention.

It was the opinion of B. M. Winston, of Winston & Co., real estate and loans, that no fair tax law can be passed under the present constitution.

"Suppose John Smith owns a piece of real estate and borrows $5,000 on it," Mr. Winston said. "Smith must pay taxes on the value of the real estate, on the money which he has borrowed to build a house or operate a business, and the man who lent him the money must pay taxes on the mortgage. In effect it is triple taxation because the man who lends the money will charge sufficient interest to pay the mortgage tax.

"A state income tax such as Wisconsin has might relieve the situation. But under present conditions, the assessors are violating the law and every one knows it. If a man has a savings account in a bank and receives 3 per cent interest on it, the taxes on the amount would amount almost to the amount of the interest. The result is that no one schedules his savings accounts."

Davis Outlines Needs.

Abel Davis, vice president of the Chicago Title and Trust company and former county recorder, could see no relief from the present system of taxation without a constitutional convention or the amending of the amending clause of the constitution.

"There should be a law permitting the classification of assessable property," Mr. Davis said. "Some property should be exempt and some should not. Such a law might be passed if the amendment clause of the constitution were amended. As the constitution is now, only one clause can be amended at one time. There are four articles which should be amended.

"Each of the articles has its advocates. First should be a tax clause, then there should be an amendment for a shoter ballot, woman's suffrage, and the initiative and referendum. There has been a disposition for the advocates of one amendment to tie up the other amendments with the result that nothing has been done.

"The people of Cook county and the taxpayers should be public spirited enough to agitate the constitutional convention program to a point where it will actually be held."

Harrison B. Riley, president of the Chicago Title and Trust company, contended there could be no relief until the consitution is changed.

"A state income tax," Mr. Riley said, "would make a superadded burden."

Commission Report Recalled.

The state tax commission appointed by Gov. Deneen and composed of Mr. Wilson as president, Edmund J. James, president of the University of Illinois, secretary, Ben. F. Caldwell, A. M. Craig, A. P. Grout, Harrison B. Riley, and B. L. Winchell made an exhaustive investigation of tax conditions in the state. Its report was issued some time ago.

"Constitutional restrictions," the report states, "such as those in the constitution of Illinois requiring taxation of all property in proportion to valuation on a uniform basis, are to be found in many states. But the states with the most advanced and the most satisfactory systems of taxation have few or no restrictions of this kind, and the decided trend of opinion on the part of the students of taxation problems is in opposition to such restrictions."

Jury Resumes on Jan. 19.

The next session of the special tax grand jury will be held on Jan. 19, according to Assistant State's Attorney Berger, who is in charge of presenting evidence of alleged tax frauds to that body. Prosecution for failure to file schedules of personal property will be made through information hereafter rather than through indictment, Mr. Berger said.

Mr. Berger was quoted in an interview carried by the City News bureau that thirty-three of the directors of the Taxpayers' alliance out of a total of forty-three failed to file personal property schedules.

State's Attorney Hoyne issued another statement defending his action in indicting Julius Rosenwald.

Was Given Notice.

Mr. Hoyne's statement in part follows:

"First, Mr. Rosenwald and about 150 other persons stand on a different footing than the other thousands of persons who did not file schedules, because they were given by the board of assessors notice and demand made that they file.

"Second, Mr. Rosenwald was specifically requested to come before the board of review and make a disclosure as to his property. This he refused to do.

"Third, when his case was on hearing before Judge Owens his counsel was informed that if he would file a schedule the prosecution against him would be dismissed. This also was ignored.

"Fourth, there is evidence tending to show that Mr. Rosenwald was a party with a lawyer to a criminal conspiracy to evade the revenue laws of this state by concealing or suppressing his actual stock holdings in Sears, Roebuck & Co."

SINGLE TAX MEN TO MEET.

Resolution Commending Rosenwald to Be Offered at Session This Evening.

A resolution commending Julius Rosenwald for refusing to file a personal property schedule will be offered and discussed at a meeting of the Chicago Single Tax club, to be held in Schiller hall, 64 West Randolph street, tonight. John G. White and George A. Schilling, a vice president of the club, will speak for the resolution. Hayden N. Bell, assistant state's attorney, will be present to defend Prosecutor Hoyne's action in the indictment of Mr. Rosenwald.

SEE REPUBLICAN SUCCESS IN 1916 WITH MOOSE BACK

National Committeemen Analyze 1914 Vote; Say Progressives Saved Democrats.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—Predicting Republican success in 1916 as a result of the return of the Progressives to their old party, the Republican national committee today issued a statement in the effect that an analysis of the vote in the November election proves that Democratic control of the house was maintained only through the assistance given the Democrats by the few Progressives who still remained out of the fold.

Analysis of the Vote.

The statement claims:

1. That the Republicans carried upon national issues states that would give a clear majority in the electoral college and elect a Republican president.

2. That the Democratic majority in the next house is only the result of the Progressive vote in certain districts in the country.

3. That two-thirds of the Progressive vote of 1912 has returned to the Republican party.

According to the national committee, in thirty-nine of the congressional districts where Democrats were elected in November the combined Republican and Progressive vote far exceeds that of the Democratic candidate in each district.

Results in Illinois.

In Illinois, the Sixth, Seventh, and Fourteenth districts returned Democrats, although the combined Progressive and Republican vote ranged from 400 to 4,000 more than that of the Democratic congressman elected.

The combined Progressive and Republican vote in the entire state of Illinois was 111,727 greater than the vote for Congressman Williams, who was reelected as congressman at large.

In the thirty-eight northern states which are always debatable ground in national elections there was a progressive loss of 2,507,811 votes over 1912 and a Republican gain of 2,469,588, according to the statement.

Goes to Funeral; Hit by Train.

Charlotte, Mich., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—En route to attend the funeral of a comrade, Daniel Huber, an aged civil war veteran, was hit by a Grand Trunk train and will die.

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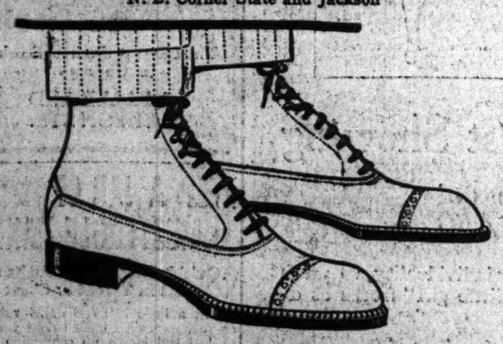

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C. O. P. CONFIDENT MOOSE WILL JOIN IN MAYOR FIGHT

Progressive Leaders May Decide on Proposed Alliance at Meeting Today.

Whether the Progressive party voters in Chicago shall join with the Republicans in support of a mayoralty candidate probably will be determined by the Progressive county committee which will meet this afternoon in the club rooms at 19 West Jackson boulevard.

Progressive leaders refused last night to forecast action of committee, nor would they venture individual opinions on the proposed alliance. Among Republicans, however, there was a spirit of buoyancy which gave the impression they were expecting favorable consideration.

It may be significant that an official call went into the mails last night for a meeting of the Republican committee at headquarters in the Otis building next Tuesday afternoon. At the time the call was signed by Chairman David F. Matchett it was announced the committee would hear a report from the subcommittee which has been negotiating with Progressive leaders looking to a union in the city campaign.

Expect Choice of Mayor Entry.

It also was said that the committee at the coming meeting probably will signify a preference for some one of the several Republican candidates for mayor. This list is said to have been reduced by various forces of elimination to Judge Theodore Brentano, Judge Marcus A. Kavanagh, F. H. Bartlett, Judge Harry Olson, George W. Dixon, and Congressman Martin B. Madden.

Progressive leaders said the action of Senator Harris and of Representatives Medill McCormick and Hicks in casting their lot with the Republicans in an effort to organize the two branches of the general assembly in no way forecasts the decision of the Progressives on the question of joining the Republicans in the city campaign.

Springfield Situation Peculiar.

"Our representatives at Springfield," said Chairman Harold L. Ickes of the Progressive state committee, "found a situation peculiar to the general assembly. At the capital the Republicans probably could have accomplished as much without the help of the Progressives as with it. In Chicago the Republicans admit they cannot elect a mayor without our assistance."

Charles H. Sergel, a member of the county committee, and John E. Dugran, chairman of the speakers bureau, expressed similar views.

Alexander A. McCormick, former president of the county board, said he hoped the two parties would be able to get together for the spring contest.

"I believe in nonpartisanship in all local affairs," Mr. McCormick said, "and if we cannot get absolute nonpartisanship, get as many parties as possible to combine on an acceptable candidate. I think it would be unfortunate if a good candidate were defeated because the Progressives and Republicans failed to find a common ground on which they could battle the enemy."

Thompson Meets Women.

William Hale Thompson had a busy day. At noon he attended a luncheon given for him in the Auditorium hotel by the women of an organization known as the "Ships of State." In the afternoon he was a guest at a reception in the ballroom of the Hotel Grasmere, 4621 Sheridan road, at which the hostesses were members of a nonpartisan committee of women of the Twenty-fifth ward. In the evening he attended a meeting of Camp McKinley, Spanish War Veterans, at 180 West Washington street.

FIRE IN THE OLD LIBBY HOME

Flames That Cause $20,000 Damage Arouse Tenants in Nearby South Side Flat.

Tenants of the Chardonette apartments, an eighteen flat building directly across an alley, were aroused from their beds, some fleeing to the street, and loss estimated at $20,000 was caused as the result of a fire which swept the old homestead of Arthur A. Libby, packer, at the northeast corner of East Thirty-fourth street and South Michigan avenue early yesterday. Until a few days ago the building, a three story brick structure, was used by the National Association of Commerce and Labor. Since then it has been unoccupied save for Raymond Tindolph, the caretaker, but there were costly fixtures and decorations in the place.

MAYOR "LICKED," SAYS SWEITZER

City Hall Forces Already Beaten, Harrison Foe Tells Aids.

GIVES OUT PETITIONS.

"We have the forces of the city hall whipped today, and it is for the members of this committee to hold to the advantage we have, and to work steadily until primary day to increase it."

That was the message given by Robert M. Sweitzer, Democratic candidate for the mayoralty nomination, to members of his campaign committee in his headquarters in the Hotel Sherman yesterday.

There was a big attendance at the meeting, the statement being made that every ward in the city was represented. The workers had been called together to get petitions to be circulated at once for the required names to insure Mr. Sweitzer a place on the primary ballot. Under the law about 800 names will be sufficient, but the committeemen have promised to return many thousands of signatures before Jan. 25, which will be the first day for filing petitions.

Harrison Petitions Out.

Mayor Harrison's petitions also are being circulated, and the two principal Democratic candidates will have their preliminary work well under way before the Republicans begin. At the Harrison headquarters in the Briggs house it is said the managers of the mayor's campaign will not begin to warm up until after the city's annual budget has been presented to the council and passed. That work is occupying much of the mayor's attention.

It was a subject of comment that in spite of what has been said concerning the activity of women voters for one or the other of the two leading Democratic candidates, there was a complete absence of the fair sex from the rival headquarters.

Meetings of Women's Clubs.

At the Briggs house it was learned that the Women's Harrison club of the Twenty-seventh ward will meet in Myrtle Masonic temple, Tripp avenue and Irving Park boulevard, next Saturday afternoon. At the Hotel Sherman the information was obtained that the Second ward Democratic women will meet at 3535 Cottage Grove avenue tonight to organize a Sweitzer club. These women also will hear replies received from the advertisement which they caused to be published recently to find a "man or woman to run for alderman of the Second ward."

POLICE BRIBE CHARGE FILED.

Gleason Makes Complaint Against Patrolmen Accused by Two Women.

Charges of bribery were filed yesterday by Chief of Police Gleason against Patrolmen John D. Frawley and Patrick O'Toole of the Cottage Grove avenue station.

They will be brought before the trial board next Wednesday and it is probable the only witnesses against them will be employes of the police department. The two women who, the specifications charge, gave each of the men a $5 bill as "protection" money could not be found by State's Attorney Hoyne on Wednesday when he wanted to take them before the grand jury.

Members of the civil service commission said they knew of no way in which they could order the reinstatement of Edward McCann, former inspector, whom Mayor Harrison has been asked to return to the force in order that he may receive his pension. McCann was convicted of "grafting" in the west side levee district. Mayor Harrison said he would refer the matter to the police department.

GETS HER PICK OF BABIES.

Judge Tells Woman Who Finds Wrong Infant in Her Arms to Take Choice—Selects Own.

"My God, your honor, I've got the wrong baby!" exclaimed Mrs. Helen Laire, 647 Karlov avenue, when she appeared before Judge Robinson yesterday to answer a charge of contributing to the dependency of her three children.

"Pick out any one you choose," replied the court, "for there are plenty of them here and we want every one to be satisfied."

Investigation developed that when she went to get her baby from among a number asleep on a bench near the courtroom across the hall, she had chosen some other woman's baby. She hurried out, returning smilingly with her own child a moment later.

The court placed her on probation for six months when her husband testified that she had been remiss in her duties.

O'HAIR WILL NOT CONTEST SEAT WON BY "UNCLE JOE."

Makes Declaration Regardless of Outcome of Alleged Vote Corruption Charges.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—"Uncle Joe" Cannon is welcome to the seat in congress which he regained at the November election, so far as his opponent, Congressman O'Hair, is concerned.

Mr. O'Hair today declared flatly that he would not contest the election of Cannon even if an investigation indicates wholesale corruption of voters.

"Cannon has his certificate of election," Mr. O'Hair said, "and he is welcome to it. I don't want it if I have to come to congress to get it."

It is now practically certain that J. McCan Davis, defeated Republican candidate for congressman at large, will not have his contest for the seat of Congressman Williams approved even to the extent of formal recognition. Mr. Davis has made only the most general charges in his petition to congress asking a recount of Cook county, and the Democrats are not inclined to go to the trouble or the expense of a recount.

Even if the recount should be started only for Cook county, in the event that it went against Mr. Williams, the latter would demand that the entire state be recounted. Over 1,000,000 votes were cast in the election and the house doesn't want to count them over.

60 DAYS FOR HOTEL "BEAT."

Charles W. Shenk, Claiming to Be Head of Omaha Concern, Sentenced by Judge Trude.

Charles W. Shenk, who says he is president of the Mid-West Sales and Manufacturing company of Omaha, will serve sixty days in the bridewell and then face more serious trouble. Shenk got thirty days each on charges of beating bills at the Brevoort and Del Prado hotels. He was sentenced yesterday by Municipal Judge Trude. An alleged fraudulent check he gave the Hotel Wychmere at 121 East Eighteenth street places him under $2,000 bonds on a confidence game charge while he awaits grand jury action.

POWDER MERGER FORMED BY INDEPENDENT CONCERNS.

Ætna Explosive Company Includes Old Ætna Holdings, Miami, and Takes Over a Town.

The Ætna Powder company of Chicago, long one of the leading independent explosive concerns in the country, has become part of a newly organized merger of several companies, according to an announcement made yesterday.

The Ætna Explosive company, 2 Rector street, New York, is the name of the latest rival of the Du Ponts. Included among the concerns it has absorbed is the Miami Powder company. The new corporation also takes over the Ætna company's two plants at Thebes, Ill.; the dynamite mills at Ætna, Ind., and factories at Xenia and Goes, O.

In addition it acquires the entire town of Ætna, three miles east of Gary, Ind., and 650 acres of land. It is said that in the future the Ætna plant also will make chemicals.

Addison G. Fay and Frank Lewis, the retiring president and secretary of the Ætna Powder company, which has offices in the Tribune building, will not be identified with the new corporation.

MRS. GENSLINGER WINS SUIT

I. A. C. Promoter and Former New Orleans Baseball Man Must Pay Alimony.

Charles H. Genslinger, one of the promoters of the Illinois Athletic club and former owner of the New Orleans baseball team, was found guilty of wife abandonment in the Court of Domestic Relations yesterday and ordered to pay Mrs. Dolly Genslinger of 532 East Thirty-sixth street $12.50 a week.

Mrs. Genslinger testified they were not legally married. She said Mr. Genslinger had been married twice when she met him in Louisiana in 1898; when she was 16 years old. He has a third wife living in Minneapolis, she said. Mrs. Genslinger has three children, ranging from 10 to 21 years in age. William Hale Thompson testified that Genslinger introduced the plaintiff as his wife in Piqua, O. Mrs. Genslinger formerly appeared in vaudeville under the name of Dolly Grey.

LOCKED OUT HUSBAND PRYS WINDOW FOR CLEAN SHIRT.

Fred C. Cameron Asks Injunction to Prevent Wife, Who Asks Divorce, from Bolting Door.

In a petition filed yesterday in the Circuit court seeking to enjoin Mrs. Helen E. Cameron from locking the doors and windows against her husband, Fred C. Cameron, the latter charges that on one occasion he was forced to pry open a window in order to obtain clean shirts.

Mrs. Cameron is suing her husband for divorce, and in an answer filed her husband alleges that even after the bill was filed he lived with his wife, kissing her good-by each morning at her request. In the present petition he alleges that he objected to his wife's associations and conversations over the telephone.

Mr. Cameron says for this reason he had the telephone removed, whereupon he was locked out.

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ALL through this great stock of fine goods the prices have been cut down as an inducement to buyers; you'll see the extraordinary values at every turn. The price reductions are an indication of our purpose to clear the stocks of all winter goods; the merchandise is the same fine quality you can always count on here; only the prices are changed.

Great sale of blue and black suits, $15 and $25

HART SCHAFFNER & MARX fine suits, blue and black weaves; an offering without precedent. All the season's favored models are among them; and we have sizes to fit everybody. One of these suits will be a great addition to your equipment.

Standard $20, $22.50, $25 blue and black suits at **$15**

Hart Schaffner & Marx imported silk lined worsted and blue serge suits, worth $30, $35, $40, **$25**

Great sale of Hart Schaffner & Marx finest fancy weave suits

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$35 and $40 suits, silk lined, **$22.50**

$25, $28, $30 suits, mohair lined, **$20**

Big reductions on finest suits

DRASTIC action has been taken on prices of our highest grade highest priced suits; sacks, frocks, full dress, tuxedo; fancy weaves, blue, black, oxford grays; the finest suits that can be made; the sort the best dressed men are proud to wear.

It's a great occasion; an opportunity to get the best clothes at much reduced prices. $50, $45, $40 and $30 suits, **$28.50**

$50 Carr's Melton overcoats at $25

$50 Brooke's Melton overcoats at $25

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Burberry London overcoats lower than ever known

THE finest overcoats made in England; the extreme, swagger models; the unusual fabrics make them unique and distinctive.

$65, $55, $50 Burberry overcoats, $37.50.

$45, $40, $35 Burberry overcoats, $28.50.

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Fine velour hats; silky, seal-like textures; $6.50, $7.50, $8 velours, **$3.85**

Correct styles in soft and stiff hats from the best American makers; $3, $3.50, $4, $5 values, **$1.85**

Winter caps, in warmth-without-weight fabrics; $1, $1.50, $2 values, **85c**

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Boys' and girls' overcoats with shawl or adjustable collars; balmacaan and Russian styles; they've been $10, $12, $13.50 and $15, ages 2½ to 18, **$8.75**

Group 2. Boys' Norfolk suits, many with extra knickers; $7.50, $8.50, $10 val. **$5.95**

Boys' and girls' overcoats, with shawl or adjustable collars; balmacaans and Russian styles; $7.50, $8.50 and $10 values. Ages 2½ to 18 years. Any of these at **$5.95**

Group 3. Boys' Norfolk suits, many with extra knickers, $5 and $6 values, 6 to 18 years, **$3.90**

Boys' balmacaans and Russian overcoats, $5 and $6 values, ages 2½ to 18, **$3.90**

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$30, $28, $25, $22.50, $22 suits **$17.50**

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ALMOST interesting event for the well dressed men, who'd just as soon save a little money.

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Lot 2, at $1.38. Madras, oxfords, cheviots; negligees and plaits; soft or stiff cuffs; $2 and $2.50 values, **$1.38.**

Lot 3, at $1.88. Russian cords and cheviots; plaits and plain bosoms; stiff and soft cuffs; $2.50 and $3 values, **$1.88.**

Lot 4, at $2.65. Manhattan silk and linen; imported cords and other weaves; soft or stiff cuffs. French tucked shirts; our $3.50, $3.75, $4 values, at **$2.65.**

Lot 5, at $3.55. M-L-R, Star, Manhattan silks; some M-L-R spring patterns; $5 and $6 values, **$3.55.**

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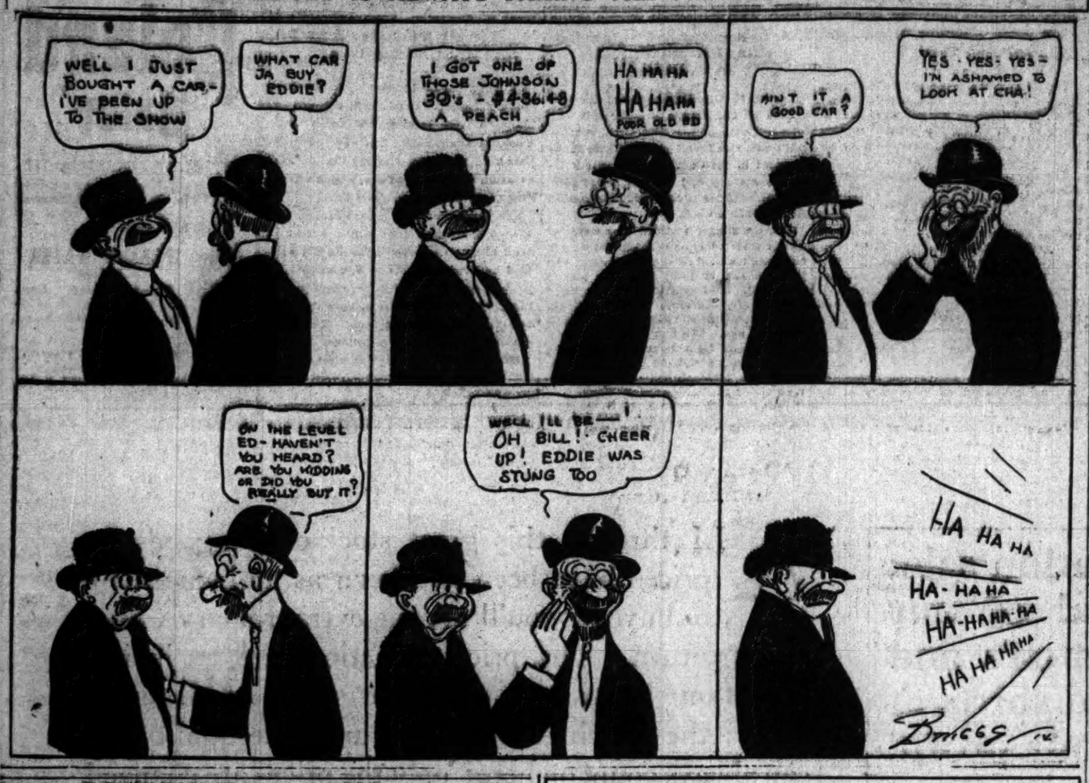

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"THE ALARM OF ANGELON."
American.

Dan Grey	Ed Cozen
Edna Lane	Winifred Greenwood
Angelon	George Field
Marie	Josephine Ditt
Judge Walsh	John Steppling
An invalid	Edith Borella

YOU have to hand it to the American people, patriotically always, of course, and pictorially always likewise. Their near-poor pictures are so much better than some other companies' top notchers that a program of American "seconds" is a very good bargain, indeed.

Today's picture isn't one of their best, but it is so full of attractiveness that it is enjoyable entertainment. In it there are some interesting photographic effects, along with general photographic excellence, and some deft and attractive acting, particularly by George Field, Winifred Greenwood, and Ed Cozen, as usual, while Josephine Ditt has a chance to do a trifle as the peasant Italian, which she does very well.

Mr. Field as the Italian immigrant has a rôle that suits his personality excellently, and that he makes much of. You forget that you have ever seen his smooth, polished, claw-tailed coated villain in his projection of the simple and amazed newcomer. This gets across with particular effectiveness when he inquisitively meddles with a fire alarm box just to see what will happen.

It all happens with a swiftness that is overwhelming to the unintentional offender, and soon, for the effect of calling out the fire department without cause, he finds himself facing a judge sentencing him to $60 or sixty days.

That is why he does not meet his wife and children when they arrive in the country on the money he had sent them just before his little alarm box investigation.

It seems to me the scenario falls down a bit there, for, unless one had read the synopsis, there is a vagueness about the letter he tries to mail being to his wife and containing the money for her passage over. We are not shown that he has made money, nor that the letter contains it, nor that it is being sent to the wife.

However, subsequent events prove this to have been true. A kind lady rescues the woman and her children from a designing man and finds a home for them. The children playing on the streets for a livelihood play by the prison and attract their father's attention, after which the young lady's young man—who is a lawyer—secures Angelon's release and the family are happily united, while the young lady and the young man, in whom a cute little visible Cupid has been obviously interested, appear to be following out to the proper ultimateness the Cupidic scenario.

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Filmisms.

A new member of the Balboa company secured his job as actor on the strength of his general appearance, and then after he had "made good" it was discovered that he is the son of Edwin Mayo and the grandson of Frank Mayo, of "Davey Crockett" memory, after whom he is named.

William Elliott is another Broadway star whom the cinema has "got." He is going to appear for the Famous Players as Richard Audaine in H. V. Esmond's play, "When We Were Twenty-one," the vehicle that once drew Nat Goodwin around in stardom.

The Lasky company has just completed its glass studio at Hollywood, Cal., which will enable it to considerable measure to thwart the rainy seasons. This, as is usual with new buildings, is one of the largest of its sort both in California and the world. It helps fill up the three blocks of the Lasky domain in Hollywood. Apart from this is a 20,600 acre ranch, credited with supplying all kinds of atmospheric settings from tropic luxuriance to mountainous bleakness.

Broncho Billy, or Mr. G. M. Anderson, Essanay cowboy chief, who has been spending the holidays here in Chicago, left yesterday for a trip to New York.

Card Craze Fatal to Beauty.

Lillian Russell

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THERE is no question of a doubt that the card playing women acquire hard, masculine expressions of countenance. I have watched carefully the faces of fresh young girls who play cards for prizes or money, and I have seen them change in no time from round, fresh, rosy feminine beauties to hard, tight lipped, pinched eyed, set jawed, almost sexless women. The craze for cards, when it takes hold of a woman, is nothing less than a disease. It takes away all real femininity, woman's chief charm. Women who possess the passion for gambling join poker or bridge clubs and spend hours and days playing cards. Their losses are irreparable, not alone for the money, which some of them go to extremes to obtain, but the absolute devastation of their good looks. Sitting indoors for days at a time causes fat to accumulate and harden, or to dry up and wither, according to the nature of the woman.

Lillian Russell's Answers.

PRETTY: I would not recommend your having dimples made. Dimples are a facial defect, and while they are bewitching in a young girl they often turn into deep holes or wrinkles when one grows older. I think there is nothing prettier than a round, plump face.

G. S.: I am sorry I have not space to again print the formula for oily hair, but if you will send me a stamped, addressed envelope I shall be pleased to mail you the formula.

Have you reduced your flesh? If so, write and tell me how you reduced and how many pounds you lost. "The Tribune" will pay $1 for every letter published. Address Lillian Russell, "Chicago Tribune," Chicago.

The TRIBUNE COOK BOOK
EDITED BY JANE EDDINGTON

All recipes have been scientifically tested by Miss Eddington with correct market materials and are indorsed by her.

Sultanas.

ALTHOUGH the sultana raisin perhaps never has obtained the popularity with us that it has in England, yet many cooks use it because it is seedless. The bleached sultana costs from 18 to 20 cents a pound, but the unbleached costs only about 12. The bleaching not only removes most of the small amount of flavor this raisin has, but there are many who will continue to believe that the per cent of sulphurous acid in it is in the long run injurious to health.

Sultana Cake.

The following is a true English recipe from a manuscript cook book of a home in England: Three-fourths of a pound of self-raising flour, one-fourth pound of beef drippings, four ounces of sugar (an English sugar which is like American granulated), five ounces of sultanas, five ounces of mixed peel, two eggs. Mix with milk. Here we have our butter cake on the two egg basis and dripping is used instead of butter. Read in our way, and we have one-half cup of butter or dripping, one-half cup of sugar (we generally use a cup), two eggs, about two cups of flour, and a teaspoon of baking powder and a half-cup of milk. We may omit the peel. The sultanas should be carefully cleaned and floured before they are added to the cake batter.

Mixed Raisins.

One-half muscatels and one-half sultanas are considered an excellent mix.

LOVE LETTERS

If you know how to write a love letter or if you have in your possession a letter that has heart interest or comedy or lots of love in it and it is all of once, "The Tribune" will pay $5 for every letter published. Address Doris Blake, "Chicago Tribune."

DORIS BLAKE SAYS:
"A woman would rather have a man to quarrel with than no man at all about the place."

While the Guns Boomed.

"My Little American Sweetheart: When that good soldier, Pierre, placed in my hand your blessed and longed for letter I just stole away out of sight here in the trenches to read it, and—I don't mind telling you, little girl—should my hand ever tremble under its gun as it did under that little white missive which I pressed to my lips I should immediately be sent to the hospital for repairs. Don't tell the captain, please, for a soldier of France must never show weakness, but it wouldn't take a microscope to find two big tears somewhere around my eyelids this moment. Thus you see one small bit of womanhood has done something that all the big German guns could never accomplish.

"They are booming away out there in the distance, but the song in my heart drowns the roar of the cannon, for your letter lies over it, and always through the smoke of battle shine two tender blue eyes, soft with the mist of love, just as they shone that last glorious day when you gave me my answer there in the fading twilight.

"Do you remember it, dear, that last day when I held you in my arms, when I clasped you close and rained your face with kisses? Ah, I prayed that death might come to us there, believing that somehow we should wander together through all eternity.

"This, my girl, is the picture I carry in my heart, and for this I am fighting, and for this, please God, I shall fight until France shall become a safe and happy home for the little girl whom I shall transplant to be its fairest flower. Until that happy day,

"Farewell,

"PAUL."

Bumbited by E. B. W.

MARION HARLAND'S HELPING HAND
by Marion Harland

Pair of Shoulder Braces.

"This is my first visit to the Corner. I read in it a request for eyeglasses. I have a pair suitable for a woman about 40 years of age. I wore them at that age. They are only steel frames, but are good ones. I also have to offer a splendid pair of shoulder braces about 34 chest measure, that some one may want.

"Mrs. J. G. A."

The address of the person who wanted the eyeglasses has gone to you by mail. She will thank you, but the benefit is also done to the Corner. I hold your address for the lucky applicant for the shoulder braces.

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Will the correspondent who signs herself "Farmerette," and offers to give information respecting astrology and horoscopes, favor us with her name and address in full? There is an evident error in that in our books and we are too happy in the prospect of receiving from this source information we have long and earnestly desired to obtain, to take any risks in directing inquiries to her. A prompt compliance with this request will be eminently useful to the Corner and members of the H. H. C.

Raisnots on Velvet.

"Kindly tell me how to remove rain spots from a velvet hat. H. M. H."

Remove feathers and flowers from the hat, and when you have filled the bathroom with steam by turning on the hot water and closing door and window, hang the hat from a wire in such a position that it will not touch any other object. Leave it thus until the steam subsides and the hat is cold and dry. The steam should raise the nap depressed by the raindrops. Do not handle the hat until it is perfectly dry.

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Little Cecil lives in the flat above us. One rainy morning he was in the hall while I was talking to his mother and said: "Miss Margaret, may I take your umbrella to school?"

His mother said: "Why, Cecil, I have an umbrella you can take." "Yes, I know," he replied, "but I don't want to break yours." M. M.

"The Tribune" will pay $1 for each childish saying printed. The stories may be sent in either by children or their parents. The only condition is that the story told must never have been printed in any magazine or paper. Address bright sayings to Aunty Bee, "Tribune," Chicago.

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The next twenty-five $2.00 prizes have been awarded to the following:
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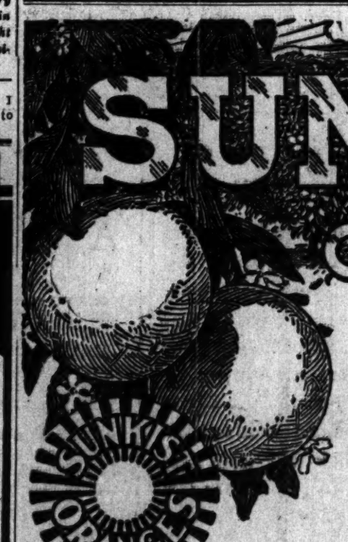

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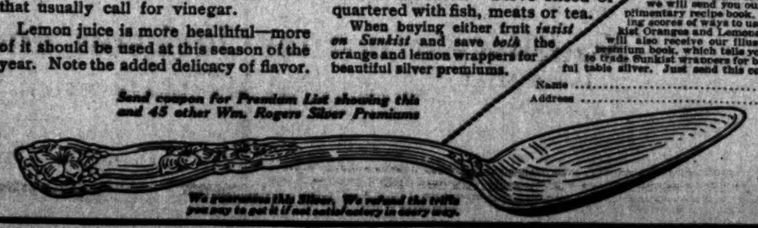

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News of the Music World

Symphony Orchestra in Popular Concert.

BY RONALD WEBSTER.

THE lowly zither raised its tinkling voice last night from among the more generally reputable instruments of the Symphony orchestra and made itself popular at once under the hands of Mr. Carl Baier. It was given two opportunities to assert itself, in the childlike (sometimes, it must be declared, childish) Dream Pictures of Lumbye, and as a part of the "Legende from the Vienna Woods" of Johann Strauss. It sounded somewhat like that unpronounceable Hawaiian musical instrument which came into vogue here after the American occupation.

The zither was about the only novelty at the third of the "popular" concerts which took place at Orchestra hall last night.

As to the rest of the program, if Mr. Stock had consented to play Grainger's "Shepherd's Hey" one might have believed himself in Ravinia park slapping mosquitoes.

The program began with the overture to "The Merry Wives of Windsor" of Nicolai. When Mr. Stock began the andante from Mozart's G Minor symphony the house was full. Mr. Singer and Mr. Quensel then did their ever popular harp and flute duet from Bizet's second "Arlesienne" suite and the orchestra did the rest of the number. The last two movements from Goldmark's "Rustic Wedding" contained enough to be rapturous about during the intermission.

It was in the second part that the zither came into play. It roused curiosity and impatience at its failure to make itself heard in the first part of Lumbye's composition was so evident that when it finally tinkled forth people whispered "There it is."

Harry Weisbach, the concertmeister, was also given opportunity to display his virtuosity. His contribution in "The Deluge" prelude of Saint-Saëne was more loudly acclaimed than anything else, except possible "Träumerei," played as an extra. Mr. Weisbach played it a second time. The other number, "In the Spinning Room," of Dvorak, did what every representation of spinning always does. I have forgotten "Der Improvisator" overture of D'Albert. It seemed last night a cleverly punctuated stream of noise.

The temptation to "edge up" pieces so familiar must be almost overwhelming to a conductor. Mr. Stock did not yield to it except in the Strauss waltz, which was "waltzy" beyond the possibilities of the waltz.

The audience was larger than at any of the previous "popular" concerts. The fourth of the series is to be given on Jan. 28.

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Music Notes.

The recital which was to have been given by Joseph Lhevinne and Lambert Murphy, tenor, at the Evanston Woman's club auditorium will be given by Osaip Gabrilowitsch and Mr. Murphy. Mr. Lhevinne has been unable to leave Berlin.

Mrs. Permelia Newby Gale, contralto, will be the soloist at next Sunday's concert at Sinai temple. Arthur Dunham's orchestra, composed of members of the Chicago Symphony orchestra, will present Delibes ballet suite, "La Source," Liszt's second Hungarian rhapsody, Joh. Strauss' "Roses from the South," and Titel's serenade for flute and horn.

The organ program at the Sunday Evening club in Orchestra hall next Sunday, to be presented by Edgar A. Nelson, will include "Prelude," by Vodorinski; "Melody," by Sapellinkoff; "Andante," from "Fifth Symphony," by Tschaikowsky, and "Military Polonaise," by Chopin. Gustaf Holmquist will sing for the offertorium, "Lord God of Abraham," from "Elijah," by Mendelssohn. "List the Cherubic Hosts," from Gaul's "Holy City," will be sung by Mrs. Mabel Sharp Herdien. Gustaf Holmquist, and the women's chorus. The choir of 100 will sing "The Eternal God Is Thy Refuge," by West.

Mr. A. J. Bernhardt announces a concert for tomorrow afternoon in the gold room of the Congress hotel. He presents Francesco Daddi in Neapolitan folk songs, Lillian Le Duc, mezzo-soprano, and M. Gutterson, violinist.

Because of the recent death of Carl Goldmark, whose compositions are played by symphony orchestras the world over, Mr. Stock and the members of the Chicago Symphony orchestra have decided to add the first movement of his "Rustic Wedding" symphony, Opus 26, to the program of today's orchestra concert. His two symphonies and four of his overtures are especially familiar to Chicagoans. The four overtures are the "Sakuntala" (Opus 13), "Im Frühling (Opus 36), "Sappho" (Opus 44), and "In Italy" (Opus 49). "The Rustic Wedding" will be played immediately after the Brahms symphony.

MISS BEATRICE GJERTSEN
SOPRANO

MISS BEATRICE GJERTSEN, dramatic soprano, makes her first appearance in Chicago in recital at the Blackstone theater on Sunday afternoon. Miss Gjertsen is a Minneapolis girl, but she has spent the last few years as leading soprano in the Grand Ducal opera house at Weimar. Her program includes songs by German, Scandinavian, and English composers.

Cotton to Supplant Linen in Hotels?

SHALL $5 dinners be eaten with cotton tablecloths beneath the diners' plates and cotton napkins across the diners' knees?

"Never!" says Ernest J. Stevens manager of the Hotel La Salle.

"Why not?" asks Joseph Beifeld of the Hotel Sherman.

And there they stand, deadlocked, after members of the Illinois Commercial Hotel association have agreed to substitute cotton napery for linen, to help the sun to shine once more in the erstwhile sunny South. The hotel men reached their decision on the cotton question yesterday at the end of their tenth annual convention held at the La Salle, and immediately ground for the Stevens-Beifeld controversy was made.

When Mr. Stevens was asked last night if he would give cotton napkins to his guests, he replied:

"I will not. I don't believe in that kind of patriotism. Cotton napery isn't so good as linen—that's the reason. It isn't so sanitary. After several launderings—and it doesn't stand the wear and tear of the laundry so well, either—cotton napkins and tablecloths lost their freshness. They look smudgy, even when clean."

Then Mr. Beifeld came to bat for his propaganda.

"I'm not going to thro waway the table linen at the Sherman," he said, "but as soon as it wears out it will be replaced with cotton. When he says cotton isn't as good as linen for napery Mr. Stevens is talking about something of which he has little or no knowledge.

"Let him go down to the Fort Dearborn hotel and see the cotton 'linens' we are using there. Although the cotton napery there has been in use since March, I defy him or any one else to tell it at sight from linen. Only by feeling it can one tell the difference, and then one must be something of an expert.

"Two mills in this country are now turning out the cotton fabric used for napery which was made exclusively in Bohemia before the war. No one—not even Mr. Stevens—is going to pay $5 a dozen for napkins when others are getting as serviceable ones for $1.25 a dozen.

"And when all the 8,000 American hotels and the 40,000 restaurants and the dining cars and the boarding houses are using cotton napery the south will have a market for 500,000 extra bales annually. O, there'll be a demand all right!"

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Commerce Men Hold Reunion.

One hundred members of the Association of Commerce, who have advertised Chicago commercially and industrially on trade extension trips, held a reunion last night at the Hotel Morrison. Edward J. Ovve, who presided, was presented with a suit case by members of the transportation committee.

Among those who spoke were Dr. W. H. Walker, John D. Shoop, William R. Moss, Francis T. Simmons, John P. Mann, James W. Morrison, Charles L. Deering, Joseph H. Defrees, Dr. Nathaniel Butler, and R. C. Jacobson.

The retiring foreign trade committee will give a dinner to Bion J. Arnold at the Blackstone hotel this evening.

Legal Aid Society Thanks 'The Tribune'

AT a meeting of the directors of the Legal Aid society yesterday THE TRIBUNE was commended for its support of the work of the organization and its help in raising funds for the continuation of the work.

Following the meeting Rudolph Matz, president of the society, wrote the following letter to THE TRIBUNE:

"In behalf of the directors of the Legal Aid society I wish to thank you for the splendid work you are doing for us. The editorial in your paper of yesterday puts in a nutshell a situation which I am confident it is only necessary for the public to fully appreciate to properly meet.

"The work of the Legal Aid society has grown tremendously in the last few years. The work has grown, however, faster than have the contributions to it. Five years ago we took care of 5,000 poor clients, at an annual expense of $8,000. Today we are taking care of more than 10,000 poor clients at an annual expense of $27,000.

"The public contributed the large sum of $20,000 for our work during the last year. With the support of papers like THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE and the young women friends of our organization, who are so interesting themselves in our work, we surely ought to be able to secure the money necessary to properly carry it on, and in the way you have so admirably stated in your editorial.

"At a meeting of the directors of our society held today deep appreciation was expressed by all present of the assistance which is now being given us, and I wish to express to you our gratitude for your share in it."

The editorial will be inclosed in a letter appealing for funds which will go out today. The letter was composed by a group of eleven young society women who are attempting to raise $34,000 for the work of the present year and to make up a deficit of last year.

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Oak Park to Have Movie Censors.

Oak Park is to have a board of moving picture censors. An ordinance creating such a body was introduced last night at the weekly meeting of the board of trustees of the village and unanimously adopted.

The board will be composed of nine members, including President August Einfeldt, who introduced the ordinance. President Einfeldt will select the eight other members subject to the approval of the board of trustees.

Pictures which have been passed by the Chicago board of censorship will not be inspected.

The ordinance is to take effect immediately.

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Police Operators Elect Officers.

Officers of the Police Operators' Benevolent association were chosen at the annual meeting in the Schiller building last night. They are Frank J. Sullivan, president; Bert E. Thompson, vice president; Frank F. O'Rourke, treasurer; Thomas J. Madden, recording secretary; Samuel C. White, financial secretary.

Society and Entertainments

North Side to Have 'Cinderella Dances.'

IT is to dance! Every one everywhere is dancing, and as rapidly as one terpsichorean event passes into history there is another to take its place.

Now comes a series of three "Cinderella dances" to be given in the "Palais de Danse" at the Bismarck garden, on Tuesdays, Jan. 12 and 26, and Feb. 9, from 8:30 o'clock until midnight.

Mrs. Margaret Weldon is in charge of the series, and it is Mrs. Weldon's plan to have the latest dances featured as exhibition dances by some of the society people. Four hundred invitations have been issued.

The events are called Cinderella dances because they will stop "at the last stroke of 12 o'clock," and follow a similar plan, in which society was interested some years ago. A tango-banjo orchestra will play.

The patronesses are: Mrs. Watson Armour, Mrs. Laurence Armour, Mrs. Chatfield-Taylor, Mrs. Joseph G. Coleman, Mrs. Morse Ely, Mrs. Kenneth Goodman, Mrs. Frank Hibbard, Mrs. Morris S. Johnson, Mrs. Howard Linn, Mrs. Edward J. Moore, Mrs. R. T. Newberry, Mrs. Donald Ryerson, Mrs. Howard Shaw, and Mrs. John Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Sims have issued cards for the marriage of their sister, Miss Louise Crane, and Arthur Vincent Fowler, which will take place at 8 o'clock on Saturday evening, Jan. 16, at the Sims residence, 1229 Marquette road.

After a southern wedding trip the bride and bridegroom are to reside in Waterloo, Ia., where they will receive after Feb. 15.

Mrs. Sims will be matron of honor for her sister and Frank Fowler, a cousin, will be the best man.

Miss Margaret Williamson is to give a luncheon for Miss Crane on Monday. Mrs. George H. Musselliman a bridge on Tuesday, and Mrs. Robert W. Buckley of Highland Park a luncheon on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Joseph Gallery announce the marriage of their sister, Miss Florence Donoghue, to Ensign Norman Campbell Gillette, U. S. S. Texas, which took place on Thursday, Dec. 31. The ceremony, which was very quiet, was celebrated by the Rev. Father Phelan of the Holy Name rectory.

Mme. Sturkow-Ryder has written a marriage song for Miss Louise Beidler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam W. Beidler whose marriage to Charles Murphy Sciple of Atlanta, Ga., is to take place tomorrow at the Virginia hotel.

The composition will be played by Mme. Sturkow-Ryder with the orchestra before the ceremony, and will lead into the traditional wedding march. The piece also is arranged to be played by mute strings during the ceremony. Later the composition is to be published and dedicated to the young bride. Mr. Sciple has been in the city for the holidays.

Announcement is made of the marriage which took place yesterday in Dixon of Miss Lela Dysart of Dixon and George B. Boynton, formely of Chicago.

Mrs. Caroline Hummel announces the marriage of her daughter, Martha Marie Binger, to Cecil Melvin Johnson of Mount Pleasant, Mich., which took place on Thursday, Dec. 31, at Fort Wayne, Ind. After March 1 Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will be at home at Alma, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh R. Loudon of Highland Park announce the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie, to John Newton Briggs II. of Albany, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wendell Holmes of 3930 Pine Grove avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Mildred Lucile, to Harry Orland King, son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. King of Edgewater.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Benjamin, 658 East Fifty-first street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Beatrice, to Milton S. Rosenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rosenberg of Milwaukee, Wis. At home Sunday, Jan. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Kraus of 4555 Grand boulevard announce the engagement of their daughter, Edna, to Edward C. Frank of Toledo, O.

The Misses Lydia and Marguerite Krans and Miss Virginia Kelly have planned a unique party for Monday afternoon. They call it a movie tea and they have leased the Granville theater for the afternoon. They have selected the slides to be used during the hours between 2:30 and 6 o'clock for the amusement and entertainment of their fifty guests, and at the close of the showing of pictures tea will be served. The party is for Miss Edna F. May of Washington, D. C.

Miss Hazel Kiessling, 3516 Grand boulevard, will entertain the Phi Gamma Sigma sorority girls at luncheon tomorrow. Covers will be laid for sixteen.

Mr. and Mrs. John Owen (Louise Otis) of Owen, Wis., who are in Chicago visiting Mrs. Owen's relatives, gave a small dinner party at the Blackstone hotel last night.

Mrs. I. Blick of Columbus, O. (Helen Gungersheimer of Chicago), after Sunday is to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Gungersheimer of 4423 Prairie avenue, for a short time.

The Alliance Française will give a Brieux afternoon on Thursday, Jan. 21, at 2:15 o'clock in the Fine Arts theater for the benefit of the society.

M. Brieux of the Academie Française will lecture. The lecture will be followed by the second act of "Suzette," to be played by M. David, M. Devries, M. Aubel, M. Bloch, Mme. Sokal, Mme. Carpen, Mme. Aubel, and others.

Mrs. Harry Channon and Prof. Baillot are in charge of the day.

MRS. MARIE LYDIA STANDISH
PHOTO MOFFETT

MRS. MARIE LYDIA STANDISH, director of Des Matinées Francaises, is of southern birth and one of the best students of French in the city. She spent much of her school life in the famous old convent at Auteuil. At the next salon of the organization to be held at the residence of Mrs. Lightner Henderson of 6255 Kenmore avenue on Wednesday, Jan. 13, Mrs. Standish will read, Mrs. Luella Chilson-Ohrman will sing, Mrs. Harry Wilder Osborne will play, and Mrs. Jefferson Jackson, Mrs. Elwin A. Roser, Mrs. William Bates Price, and Mrs. Harold Grosvenor Sperling will present a play by Henri Bordeaux.

Mrs. Henderson will be assisted by Mrs. Charles B. Bowers, Mrs. Walter Gerhardt Deemer, Mrs. Arthur E. George, Mrs. Benjamin Levering, Mrs. Walter Dwight Moody, Mrs. George Bateman Beatty, Mrs. Henry Noble Foster, Mrs. Enoch T. Holmes, Mrs. John E. Kehoe, Mrs. William A. Tubbs, Miss Maude Berry, Miss Gertrude Spoor, Miss Lydia Earle Whitted, Miss Leonore Ray, and Miss Marjorie Westerlund.

Mrs. Frederic D. Ansley and Mrs. J. Roland Kay will preside at the tea tables.

Wants 300,000 Women to Register.

MRS. GRACE WILBUR TROUT, president of the Illinois Equal Suffrage association, announced yesterday that a campaign will commence next week to get the names of 300,000 women on the registration books of Chicago.

There will be a meeting of the ward chairmen next Thursday in the Tower building. Plans for getting the women out on registration day will be made.

"We want the women to get out and vote at the primaries," said Mrs. Trout. "We want them to make sure that we have good candidates in all parties. We believe that they should vote at the primaries. It does not mean that they will have to join any particular party or that their vote on election day will be affected in any way by their vote at the primaries."

Mrs. Trout said that scores of women who have made applications for positions as judges and clerks of election have sent in their names to the suffrage headquarters. Mrs. Trout is anxious to have a record of all women judges and clerks.

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Wisconsin Club to Meet.

The University of Wisconsin club of Chicago will hold a luncheon in the German room of the Grand Pacific hotel today at 12:30. Prof. Carl F. Huth of the University of Chicago will speak on "Pan-Germanism and Chauvinism."

University Settlement Has Birthday.

The University of Chicago settlement will hold exercises next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in commemoration of the founding of the settlement twenty-one years ago. Miss Mary McDowell, 4630 Gross avenue, is the head of the settlement. Brief addresses and greetings will be given by Miss Jane Addams, Prof. Graham Taylor, and others. Miss McDowell will speak.

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City's War on Saloon Begins in Earnest.

BY THE REV. W. B. NORTON.

CHICAGO'S fight in earnest against the saloon will begin today and end with the coming of "Billy" Sunday in 1916.

If "Billy" doesn't finish the work the fight will last longer, but the beginning of it today is a certainty.

At noon "Catch-My-Pal" Patterson will speak to the bluecoats at the headquarters at North La Salle and Illinois streets. He has been invited to address the mounted detail, and the men who guard the crossings.

At 2:30 o'clock in the First Regiment armory the campaign of the "flying squadron" will open. This campaign will continue afternoon and evening for three days, closing Sunday night.

America's greatest prohibition orators, singers, and pianists will be present, and enough ammunition will be furnished in the way of arguments and facts to supply the prohibition workers for months to come.

It was nearly midnight last night when Oscar W. Olson and his committee left the First Regiment armory, where they had been putting on the finishing touches to the decorations and arrangements for the oncoming of the host of young people who will take possession today.

Twelve city-wide young people's organizations, representing 500 or more local societies, will send large delegations, for a feature of the program is to be the presentation of three silk banners to the winning delegations. One banner will go to the city-wide organization which has the largest delegation. A second banner will be given to the city-wide organization having the largest delegation in proportion to its membership, and the third banner will be given to the individual church society which has the largest delegation.

The city-wide organizations which will be officially represented are: The Baptist Young People's union, the Christian Endeavor, the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church, the German Epworth league, the Swedish Epworth league, the Norwegian-Danish Epworth league, the Keystone League of Christian Endeavor of the United Evangelical Church, the Brotherhood of St. Andrew of the Protestant Episcopal church, the Augustana Luther league, the Young People's Alliance of the United Evangelical church, the Young People's Christian Union of the United Presbyterian Church, and the Young People's Union of the Universalist Church. These organizations represent a young people's constituency of 20,000.

The armory will seat about 4,000, it is said, and provision is made for an overflow meeting in the Second Presbyterian church, East Twentieth street and South Michigan avenue.

The speakers from the flying squadron who will speak today are: The Rev. Dan A. Poling, one of the general officers of the Christian Endeavor society; the Rev. Wilbur F. Sheridan, the general secretary of the Epworth League, and the Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, author of "In His Steps," a book which has been translated into several languages and been often spoken of as the most widely circulated book since "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

The Rev. Philip W. Yarrow, president of the Young People's Civic league, will preside and the silk banners will be presented by Miss Mary F. Balcomb, secretary of the civic league.

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City's Semi-Annual Furniture Show On.

FURNITURE that is not what it seems is conceded to be the original feature of the semi-annual furniture show, for the opening of which several hundred furniture buyers arrived in Chicago yesterday.

On every hand are space economizers, which are two pieces of furniture at the same time. Everything is aimed at saving the precious space of the three room flat.

There are library tables which unfold with one stroke into spacious double beds and writing desks which transform themselves into parlor tables.

In sanitary couches there are some on exhibition which fold together so they take up but half a foot in a closet, and others that slide together until they form a seat a third as long as the bed.

New and space saving styles of bed davenports are shown, with new features in economical kitchen cabinets and other pieces of furniture.

The attendance at the opening of the four main buildings of the "Great Central Market," as the show is referred to, at 1411, 1319, and 910 South Michigan avenue and at 1406 South Wabash avenue, is said by the management to exceed that of previous years.

Redfern Corsets

Announcement

A Shop for the Sale of

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Nineteen East Madison Street
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An exquisite little shop of perfect appointments, with a complete assortment of new and beautiful Redfern Corsets.

A service unusual, which assures the visitor every possible convenience and attention, whether the purchase be large or small, and at no advance over the standard prices at which Redfern Corsets are everywhere sold.

$3.00 to $25.00

Bishop to Address Sunday Evening Club

BISHOP FRANCIS J. McCONNELL

BISHOP FRANCIS J. McCONNELL of the Methodist Episcopal church, Denver, will speak at the Sunday Evening club in Orchestra hall next Sunday on "Spiritual Births."

Englewood Improvement Body Elects.

The Englewood Improvement association held its annual election last evening in the Kelley Branch library, Sixty-second street and Normal boulevard, and chose the following officers:

President—H. W. Cannon.
Vice president—H. W. Axtell.
Treasurer—J. W. Deming.
Secretary—Miss Jennie O'Neill.

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Officers for Palette and Chisel.

The Palette and Chisel club held its nineteenth annual election at the clubrooms last night in the Athenæum building. Richard V. Brown was elected president. Other officers elected were John E. Phillips, vice president; Bernhardt Alex Kleboe, secretary; Fred Larsen, treasurer, and Fred G. Sayre, librarian.

How to Smile Your Way to Good Health.

"SMILE and your body smiles with with you, weep and you breed disease," said Miss Elisabeth Walter of Oak Park in an address at a meeting of the Chicago Osteopathic association at the Hotel Sherman last night.

She is a teacher of voice culture and declared she had discovered that relation of the muscles of expression, or of the face, had an acute effect upon the rest of the body.

She said she discovered that facial expressions had influence on the body, while recovering from a nervous breakdown several years ago.

"I relaxed and contracted my different muscles of expression," she said, "until I could produce every known emotion, but I worked the wrong sets at first, as my teeth became loose and there were other alarming results. These were rectified by the use of a different set of facial muscles, and I gained in strength and health and disposition.

"Facial muscles should be carefully relaxed and contracted each day. The result of this will be more oxygen for the lungs and body, more blood permitted to flow into bone tissues, and more food can be utilized, resulting in better general health.

"It's a simple case of laugh and grow fat, or smile and your body smiles with you, while if you weep you will breed disease."

Dr. Furman J. Smith, president of the Chicago Woman's Osteopathic club, read his annual address and Dr. Jessie Wakeham spoke of the club's activities. A program of songs and readings was presented by Mrs. J. S. Goltman, Miss Susan Emma Drouth, Frank Powers, Miss Lydia Lightring, Mrs. Effie Jones, and Miss I. Huffman.

Dr. Earl J. Drinkall was in charge of the program.

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Infirmary Staff Honors Retiring Superintendent.

Twenty-five members of the Illinois Eye and Ear infirmary at Peoria and Adams streets gave a farewell dinner last night at the new Hotel Morrison to Charles T. Gerrard, superintendent of the institution for the last sixteen years.

A silver loving cup was presented to the retiring superintendent by Ald. Willis O. Nance, a former member of the staff of the hospital. Dr. Norval H. Pierce presided as toastmaster.

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Chicago Plan Commission to Meet

A meeting of the Chicago plan commission for the purpose of taking action on a site for the west side postoffice and on the lake front plan will be held today at 12:15 p. m. in the red room of the Hotel La Salle.

Three Stores—One Service

Our three stores are not a combination—they are a *unit.* In all of them you will find exactly the same high grade of stocks and equipment, with attendants who are *opticians first* and salesmen afterward. Each shows the guiding power of the Coe purpose, which is—to provide the utmost in optical goods and service. Each would be the best store of its kind if it were not for the other two. They are located at diverse points for your convenience but they are one in management and degree of efficiency.

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$35 SILK VELOUR COATS $18.50

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THIS genuine $35.00 Silk Velour Fur Trimmed Coat, lined with silk and beautifully trimmed with fur, is hand shaped, perfect fitting and guaranteed for quality. This $35.00 Coat, as illustrated, specially priced for our sale, at

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A number of various styles of $35 and $45 Silk Velour Coats are included at $18.50.

This $35 Coat, $18.50

Winter Coats at About ½ Price

The January Clearance Sale must close out all winter Coats without regard to price or value. Some of this season's Coats are marked ½ of regular price—some are ½ price.

Before buying a Coat anywhere see these.

$35.00 Chiffon Broadcloth Silk Lined Fur Trim Coats, in most all colors; C'l'g Sale at..... **$15.00**

$18.50 Broadcloth, Velvet Trim, Silk Lined Coats, most colors; C'l'g Sale price..... **$9.75**

$18.50 Chase's Angora Satin Lined Belted Plush Trim Coats, leading colors; C'l'g Sale, at..... **$9.75**

$15.00 Navy and Black All Wool Zibeline Belted Coat, C'l'g Sale, **$7.75**

SUITS

$35.00 Velvet Suits in leading colors and new models. C'l'g Sale at **$19.75**

$38.50 and $35.00 Chiffon Broadcloth, Fur Trim Suits. New and beautiful models. C'l'g Sale at.... **$18.50**

$23.50 Serge, Broadcloth and Gabardine Suits, new models, fur trimmed & plain, C'l'g Sale..... **$15.00**

$18.50, $23.50 and $28.50 Suits of Broadcloth, Serge, Gabardine & other materials; all this season's Suits; C'l'g Sale, at..... **$9.75**

$25.00 Gabardine Suits, leading colors, fur trim, C'l'g Sale..... **$15.00**

DRESSES

$6.00 Silk Chiffon, Satin, Charmeuse Waists in various colors. C'l'g Sale price, at..... **$1.90**

$7.50 Black Chiffon Broadcloth Skirt. C'l'g Sale, at..... **$5.00**

$15.00 New Wool Crepe Flare Skirt Dresses, spring model; all the leading colors. C'l'g Sale..... **$9.75**

$18.50 French Serge Dresses, new spring models, flare skirts and Eton jacket effects; all asked for colors. C'l'g Sale..... **$9.75**

$12.50 Fish Net Lace Waists over net, at **$5.00**

$7.50 Georgette Crepe Waists, new colors, **$5.00**

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and ought to use occasionally, a proper remedy for the headache, backache, languor, nervousness and depression to which she may be subject. These troubles and others are symptoms of debility and poor circulation caused by indigestion or constipation

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are at once safe, certain and convenient. They clear the system and purify the blood. They exert a general tonic effect and insure good health and strength, so that all the bodily organs do their natural work without causing suffering. Every woman of the thousands who have tried them, knows that Beecham's Pills act

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To keep children healthy in body and brain, correct nourishment is the law of nature—just as heat turns water to steam, so NOURISHMENT is nature's fuel for health and growth. Too often the digestive powers of children cannot procure enough nourishment from ordinary food, which condition brings weakness, dullness and sickness, and nature needs assistance—then Scott's Emulsion is needed.

Every drop is medicinal food. Its rich cod liver oil creates life-sustaining blood corpuscles to strengthen the organs and fibers and tissues throughout the body.

If your children catch cold easily, are languid, backward in studies, pale or frail, give them Scott's Emulsion—it sets in action the very forces that build sturdy frames and active brains.

Scott's Emulsion is free from wines, alcohols or stupefying drugs—the best that money can buy. At any drug store.

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Louis Spiegel Charged with Blackmail on Testimony of Seer.

Chicago and New York are now working hand in hand to suppress "business understandings" between crooks and crook chasers, and before long the eastern metropolis may have some indicted policemen.

This became evident yesterday when State's Attorney Hoyne had the grand jury indict Attorney Louis Spiegel of New York on charges of blackmail. The evidence was furnished by convicted clairvoyants who repeated their confessions before the grand jury, and the essential points were confirmed by Royal H. Weller, assistant district attorney from New York. Mr. Weller appeared before the inquisitors, and consulted with Mr. Hoyne's assistants on the forms of indictments to be voted. Mr. Weller came at the direction of District Attorney Charles A. Perkins, who was interested by Gov. Whitman. Mr. Whitman's name was used in the case. He was district attorney at the time of the alleged "shakedown."

Involved Policeman Dead.

Jesse Brenner a former New York policeman, who is said to have been involved with Spiegel, died a few months ago.

Frank Ryan, alias "Prof. Robert L. Milton"; Jimmy Ryan, alias "Prof. Charles T. Crane," the clairvoyants, and Barney Bertsche, confessed "fixer" between the "crime trust" and certain members of the Chicago police force, told the story.

Frank Ryan was working the swindling game throughout the east during 1911 and 1912, while his brother, Jimmy, was in Chicago. In the fall of 1912 Frank Ryan, then in New York, got advance information through the "underground" that the Boston police were about to arrest him for swindling a Boston woman. To prevent extradition and cause the New York police to hold him in New York long enough to defeat the aims of the Boston police Frank Ryan and another clairvoyant, Harry Waite, induced a third man to revive an old charge against Ryan for fleecing a citizen of Bridgeport, Conn.

Ryan Jumps His Bond.

Ryan had to give bond, and Samuel Birnbaum, a professional bondsman of New York, furnished it. Ryan found it more convenient to be among his friends in Chicago, and jumped the New York bond.

Soon after arriving here Ryan was visited by Spiegel and Brenner, who had resigned from the New York police force. These two callers, according to the testimony, represented themselves as aids of District Attorney Whitman, flashed a lot of bogus papers, and said Ryan would have to accompany them back to New York.

Ryan demurred, and Spiegel and Brenner are said to have suggested that they might not insist if Ryan would give them $2,500 to cover the bond furnished by Birnbaum, and allow them $400 for expenses. After some dickering the money was paid. A receipt which Spiegel signed as "counsel for Birnbaum" was offered in evidence. It is dated Sept. 26, 1912.

Mr. Hoyne Goes East.

When the Ryans first confessed to Mr. Hoyne they told of this incident, but were not sure whether the alleged "shakedown" artists were connected with Mr. Whitman's office. Mr. Hoyne then made one of his famous trips to "an eastern football game," saw Mr. Whitman, and got the straight of the matter.

The indictments are for conspiracy, confidence game, and extortion.

TELLS WHY SHE DEMANDS $10,000

Mrs. Coleman Cites Alleged Slander in Mrs. Blakeslee's Divorce Suit.

"BOUGHT HER GEMS."

Mrs. Kate Coleman, named as co-respondent in Mrs. Laura E. Dupee Blakeslee's divorce suit, filed in the Circuit Court yesterday the declaration in her $10,000 damage suit against her accuser.

Among the assertions Mrs. Coleman alleges were made concerning her by Mrs. Blakeslee is this:

"She (meaning Mrs. Coleman) has been a friend of my husband; has been living with him for two years, and he has been buying her clothes and diamonds."

Another is:

"She is now traveling with my husband."

Commission Man Sued.

Mrs. Elizabeth E. Herman filed suit for separate maintenance against Hugh P. Herman, wealthy member of the commission firm of Herman, Fisher & Co. She names Josephine Meisenbach as co-respondent.

It is alleged by Mrs. Herman:

"That for the last three months the defendant would go to the residence of the said Josephine Meisenbach every night and would remain in her company until 12 or 1 o'clock at night. He induced the older daughter, Hazel, to keep company with the said Josephine Meisenbach and your oratrix has been more than once informed by the children, Ethel and Hazel, that as soon as the defendant is rid of your oratrix it was the defendant's intention to marry the said Josephine Meisenbach."

The two children are Herman's by a previous marriage.

Married Under Threat, Charge.

That he was compelled to marry Miss Jessie Huff in April, 1913, in order to right a wrong he never committed because she told him that her father would kill both him and his father unless he did was the statement of Paul A. Hart, 19 year old son of George A. Hart, wealthy banker in Proviso township, in an affidavit filed in the Superior court.

Suit for the annulment of the marriage was begun last August by the father of the youth, who is a freshman at Notre Dame university. In the answer filed by Mrs. Jessie Hart it was stated that two children had resulted from the union, one born in October, 1912, and the other in August, 1914.

WILSON OFF TO INDIANAPOLIS

President Will Speak There Today—Speech to Be of Political Character.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—President Wilson left tonight for Indianapolis, where he will speak tomorrow at a Jackson day celebration under the auspices of the Indiana Democratic club. He will be introduced by Gov. Ralston of Indiana. His speech will be of a political character.

AGED WOMAN DIES IN CHAIR.

Mrs. Eliza Weinberg, 85 Years Old, Passes Away at Residence of Daughter.

Mrs. Eliza Weinberg, 85 years old, died yesterday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Anna Gould, 5704 Race street. She was sitting in a chair, where Mrs. Gould found her dead.

She had lived in Chicago forty-two years, and came to this country sixty-seven years ago from Germany.

DEATHS.

[For other death notices see page 18.]

KELLEY—John G. Kelley, at his home at Huntley, Ill., beloved husband of Julia Kelley, nee O'Brien, dear father of Wm. J., Mary A., John T., Andrew E. Kelley, and Mrs. Kate Grady. Requiem high mass. Funeral Sunday, Jan. 10, at 10:30 a. m. at St. Mary's church, Huntley, Ill. Baltimore and St. Paul papers please copy.

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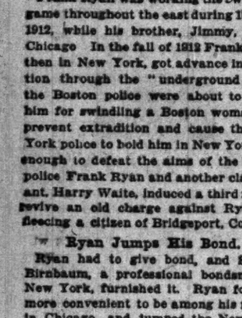

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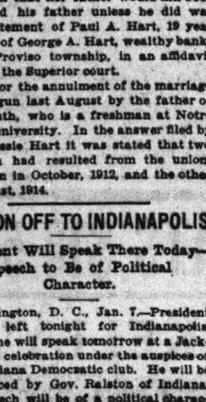

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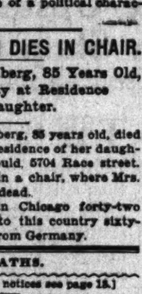

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The articles illustrated are indicative of the many bargains we are at present offering in fine Furniture.

The Cheval Glass in fine walnut or mahogany, a graceful Colonial design, large and massive, with best French plate mirror measuring 54 x 24 inches.

The regular price of this cheval glass would be $90.00. Specially priced now 30.00.

The Toilet Table to match, in mahogany only, measures 40 inches long and 22 inches wide, with French plate mirror measuring 28 x 22 inches. Regular price $65.00. Sale price 25.00.

The Somnoe to match, in mahogany and Circassian walnut, 20 inches wide and 16 inches deep. Regular price $25.00. Sale price 8.00.

Alexander H. Revell & Co.

Wabash Ave. Corner Adams St.

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Various Lengths and Models in These

Rich Coats of Bisam Seal At $75.00 to $165.00

Specially Priced in Our Great January Clearance of Furs

Bisam Seal this season possesses a suppleness, a lightness not obtainable before in Fur Coats. Because of the new methods in dressing and preparing the peltries, this Fur has been made capable of development into prettier models than have been offered formerly.

Our depleted stocks of regular lines are all substantially price-reduced, and various recent special purchases have been made to supplement them. On the newly purchased, as well as the broken assortments, appreciable savings are assured.

At $75.00—Handsome roll-cuffed and deep-collared Coats, 38 in. long, lined with brocaded silks.

At $85.00—Skunk collared, Bisam seal Coats, 38 in. in length, brocade lined.

At $105.00—Smart modified flare Coats, 40 in. long; others of supple handsome peltries, gracefully graduated at front.

At $115.00—A variety of models, flare-skirted, with the new high double collars; lined throughout with brocaded silk faille.

Many other Coats are lined with handsomely patterned pussy-willow silks. These are of various lengths and models, some with the new high-waisted belts.

Prices—$100, $125, $135, $150, $165 and upwards.

Also Reduced for Clearance

Coats of Moleskins and Caracul; Motor Coats of Raccoon, Muskrat, Leopard and Blended Squirrel; Fur-lined Coats for street and driving wear; small Furs of all varieties.

Sixth Floor, South Room, Wabash Avenue.

Twelve Shapes—All of Fine Black Lyons Velvet—in These

Women's Untrimmed Hats —Special at $2.75

With the constant demand for Velvet Hats—and the favor accorded them until March—we have had to replenish our Untrimmed Hat assortments.

Our orders reached the Manufacturer in his less-rushed season, when he was able to employ his best workers—and remaining stock of fine materials—in Hats that we can sell at this moderate price.

Every Hat offered is hand-finished and has the French turned edge. All shapes—Sailors, large and small; Turbans in tri-corne and irregular shapes—are presented for choice.

The values are distinctly special.

New Trimmings—just received—appropriate for these shapes

Charming new fancies, requiring only a small expenditure to effectively trim a new hat or freshen up an old one.

A Trimming Service—without charge

When materials are purchased in our Millinery Section, we trim hats at no cost to our patrons.

Fifth Floor, Middle Room, State Street

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Gowns and Suits of Distinction Shop

628-630 S. Michigan Blvd.
Adjoining Blackstone Hotel

Final Suit Clearance

For today and tomorrow we announce a most wonderful sale of suits, including all our imported models—no suit in the house is excepted. Values to $250.00,

$47.50

Any Winter Hat in the House $5

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Blouses Negligees Coats Furs Skirts Suits
Wash Frocks Costumes Street Dresses

Sixth Floor.

Misses' Outer Apparel—*Sixth Floor.*
Juniors' and Girls' Frocks—*Fourth Floor.*

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CITY ROMANCE REVEALS PLOT TO WIN FORTUNE

Being a Fairy Tale of a Wise Man Who Put the "Old" in "Gold Brick."

"CORNERS" THE "BATS."

BY HENRY M. HYDE.

This is a fairy story. It has about it, however, much of the unreality of real life. It sounds almost incredible enough to be true. It could not possibly have happened in any great city. But nobody ever has imagined anything exactly like it—which is the reason it seems worth while telling.

Once upon a time there was a mighty city, along the streets of which stood many tall buildings, their thick walls built solidly of bricks in the ancient fashion.

There came to this city men skilled in the working of steel and iron, who had learned how to rear immensely tall skeletons of steel, bolted together with iron tendons, like the bare bones of huge towers. Between the bones they laid single tiers of brick and covered the outside with cunning plates of metal and baked clay. In this way they could double the height of their buildings, which came to be known, in the poetic and picturesque phrase of that day, as cloud-scrapers.

Old Bricks in Rubbish Heaps.

So it came to pass that many of the thick brick walls were taken down and the millions of old bricks were piled as rubbish along the highways of the city.

It happened that there dwelt in the city a man who for many years had cherished the strange desire of getting richer more rapidly. He was also a man of great shrewdness and cunning, and he had a wide acquaintance among those who held power and influence in various ways. All of which he was accustomed to use to his own great advantage. So that it was said of him that there were very few who were wiser guys when it came to putting over something good.

Passing one day along a street where a million or more bricks, taken from one of the older buildings, were piled, and seeing similar piles in the distance, he stopped and scratched his head. Then he made cautious inquiries and discovered that these old bricks could be bought for comparatively little or nothing.

Needs of Skeletons Seen.

He also saw that many millions of new bricks, bright red and fresh from the fires, would be necessary to put flesh on the tall steel skeleton towers which were rising in different parts of the city. And these new bricks were being sold at a price five or six times greater than that for which the old bricks could be purchased.

"What a pity that such a strong prejudice exists against second hand articles," said the man to himself. "Otherwise by simply buying these old bricks and selling them again one could make a handsome fortune."

The man went home and, sitting down calmly in his library after dinner, gave himself over to deep thought. Shortly before midnight he discovered the great law of demand and supply. The next day he called a number of men separately to his office and held with them what are often called conferences.

Buys Up All Old Bricks.

That done, he went about the city and bought and contracted to buy all the old brick from buildings which were torn down or were about to be torn down. And in a short time he was the owner of enough old bricks to fill any given number of freight cars making a train stretching without a break between any two given points. For all of which he paid out but a few thousand talents in gold and other negotiable securities. When this was done the man had all the old bricks which he had bought stored in a safe place, and presently betook himself to southern waters to fish for tarpon and other scaly monsters.

During his absence great dissatisfaction broke out in certain factories and yards wherein the new bricks were freshly made from clay. The discontent grew into tumult, which could not be stilled, and on a day all the workmen employed in so molding and baking the new bricks laid down their tools and refused further to pursue their avocation. So that in all that region there were no new bricks to be had. And the men who had raised tall skeleton towers of steel were in deep distress for want of them.

Foreign Articles "Unclean."

Nor was it possible to bring in new bricks from distant lands by caravan or otherwise, because that was against the rules, and there was said to be something unclean about new bricks made by strangers.

Meantime the anguish of those who were raising the steel towers grew constantly greater. They fell off in flesh and asked vainly for relief. Until on a day one of them had a bright and hopeful thought.

"Let us," he said, "buy and use second hand bricks with which to put the inner layer of flesh on our steel bones. They will, at any rate, be covered from the public gaze by the outer layer of metal and burned clay. And, also, we shall do a shrewd stroke of business, because we will be able to buy for little money the second hand bricks of which the city is full."

Whereupon all those who were engaged in rearing tall steel towers and could find no new bricks with which to cover their skeletons rejoiced greatly with him who had so delivered them out of their distress.

Find "Corner" in Supply.

Being cunning men they concealed their purpose and sent certain secret agents about the streets of the city to buy up all the old bricks on the pretense that they were desired to fill up holes in the ground. But at the end of a week the secret agents returned in sorrow to those who had sent them, declaring that all the old bricks had already been purchased by a man who was then fishing for tarpon in the waters of a distant sea.

Whereupon the men who were building took counsel together and sent by the electric wire a message intended to deceive, asking in the name of another that he sell them a few millions of his old brick to be used in making smooth a roadway.

But the man answered and said that he had riches enough and that it was now his only desire to see how large a collection of old bricks it would be possible for him to gather together before he died.

So They Beg Him to Sell.

Then those who were delayed in building grew exceeding wroth and used much strong language. Also they held certain conferences of their own. But still the workmen, who in the old days molded and baked the new bricks fresh from the clay, refused to go back to their employment. So in the end they who had reared the tall steel towers wept and sent another message to him who fished for tarpon in the south, begging that he would sell them the old bricks which they so greatly desired.

And the man answered and said: "I have 10,000,000 old bricks. I will sell them all or none at the selling price of new bricks, cash in advance."

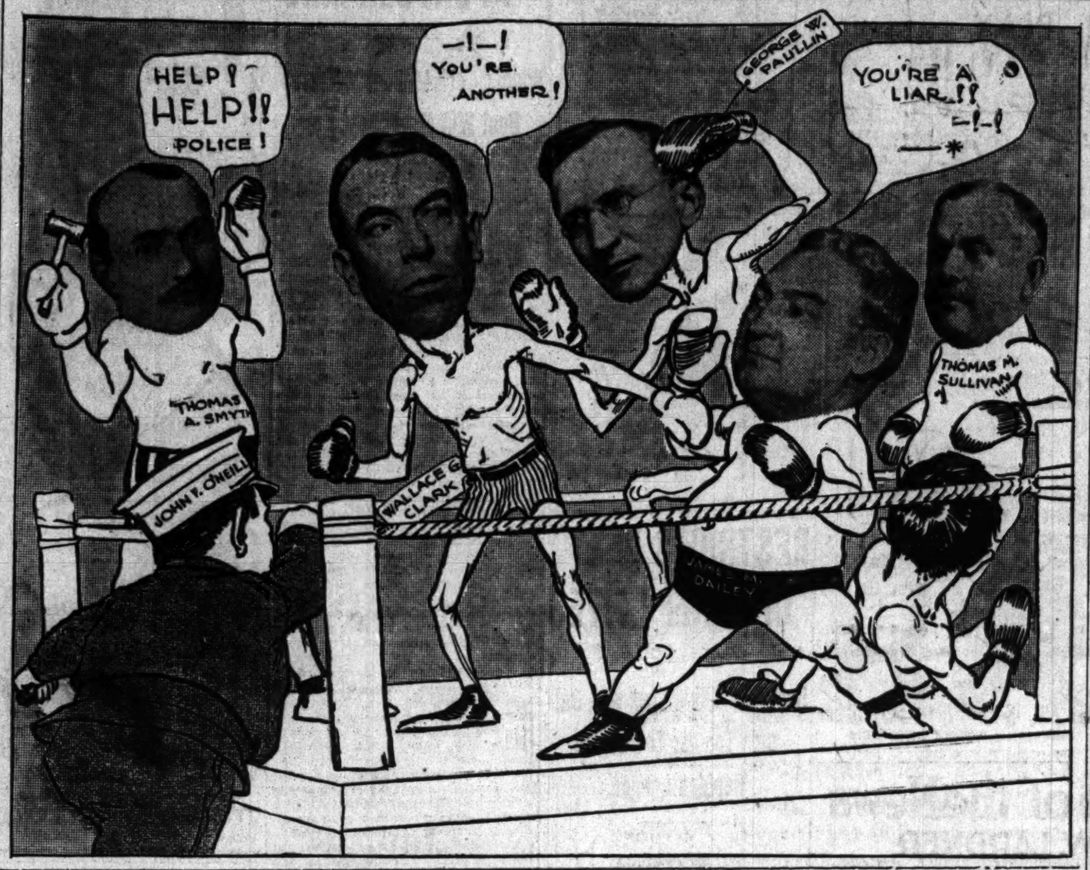
And He Has His Way.

So those who had the bare steel towers again wept and answered that it should be even as he wished. And the man came back from his tarpon fishing and was paid the great sum of money which he so greatly desired, and he did deliver the old and second hand bricks into the hands of those who had such great need of them.

Whereupon, also, the workmen went back to their work of molding and baking the new bricks from fresh clay.

And the man, sitting again in his library, spoke and said: "Verily, it was I who put the old into gold brick."

'We Will Now Have a Bout Between Dailey and Clark—'



HOLDUP MEN GET 10 CENTS AND PIECE OF HER MIND.

Mrs. Joseph E. Wice Says It Was Worth Her Loss to Tell Two Robbers What She Thought of Them.

Mrs. Joseph E. Wice of 5340 Greenwood avenue told the Hyde Park police the opportunity presented her to give two holdup men a piece of her mind was worth the dime she lost.

"Two men, one of whom carried a revolver, stopped me in Greenwood avenue and demanded my handbag," said Mrs. Wice. "I gave it to them, and one of them opened it, took out my purse, and then handed the bag back to me.

"'You couple of great big lubbers,' I said, 'you ought to be ashamed of yourselves, robbing women instead of going out and getting an honest job. Your finish will be the penitentiary or the gallows; that's what it'll be.'

"There was only a dime in the purse. It was lucky the rest of my money, about $25 or $40, was in my stocking."

SWITCH OF PLANS IN NEW MORRISON, YOUNG'S CHARGE

Health Official Suspends City Employe and Stops Work on Hotel Kitchen.

Suspension of three employés of the city health department, stoppage of work on two floors of the new Morrison hotel, and preparations by Health Commissioner George B. Young to file complaints against Marshall & Fox, the architects, before the Illinois chapter of the American Institute of Architects and the state board of architects' examiners, resulted yesterday from the discovery that the kitchen of the hotel has not been constructed the way the city hall people thought it was being built.

Further developments are promised this morning, when Attorney John G. Campbell, representing the Moir Hotel company, expects to ask Judge Foell to enjoin the city from interfering with the conduct of his cooking department.

Both Harry C. Moir and the architects contend that all work on the hotel was approved step by step by the city authorities and that the trouble is due to inability on the part of the city hall people properly to read the plans. Dr. Young laid the blame on the architects, declaring that they secured the city "O. K." on one set of plans and then deliberately permitted other plans to be used in the actual erection of the building.

These City Employes Suspended.

The city employés suspended, with a summary of Dr. Young's charges in each instance, are:

Thomas F. McCarthy, a plan examiner; accused of carelessness.

Louis Bushnell, plumbing inspector; accused of carelessness in not stopping the construction of drains alleged to have been built in the hotel without authority.

C. B. Collins, restaurant inspector; accused of carelessness.

Commissioner Young stated that he may prefer charges against Collins before the civil service commission, but that the other two employés will not be severely dealt with.

The commissioner said that he will bring a suit daily against the hotel until the requirements of the code pertaining to restaurants are complied with. It is this threat which the hotel's attorney is preparing to meet in court.

Ericsson Sides with Hotel.

Building Commissioner Henry Ericsson expressed the opinion that all the requirements of the building code have been complied with, and voiced the belief that the health commissioner's complaints will have little result. He said no changes had been made in the plans as submitted to him.

"The first plans submitted called for a kitchen in the basement, which is contrary to the ordinance," explained Commissioner Young. "To render the plans acceptable, provision was made for a transom-like window forty feet long and four feet high, opening on the alley, to give access to outside light and air. This window was situated just above a mezzanine floor which was planned for over the kitchen, and which had a large well in it.

"Instead of building it this way it turns out that a partition was built in front of the window, making it useless. Further, the well was completely floored over, and the space above it filled with refrigerating rooms for pastry, etc., which was unauthorized. The result was a cellar kitchen."

MOVIE MAN SAYS HE TOOK POISON

But Physicians Are Puzzled Over Case of T. Chester Montgomery.

T. Chester Montgomery, a victim of unrequited love—and possibly also a bichloride of mercury victim—is in more or less serious condition in Wesley Memorial hospital.

Before he lapsed into a drowse yesterday Montgomery, formerly a motion picture producer and one time manager for the General Film company, announced he had taken twenty-eight grains of bichloride, a toxic dose.

The drowse might be considered a symptom of bichloride poisoning. But then again it might also be the result of a large dose of veronal, a hypnotic, which Montgomery admits he took Wednesday evening; so physicians at the hospital are waiting further developments before they set him down officially as a poison victim.

Calls on Young Woman.

Montgomery, who had been in the hospital four weeks, suffering from a tumor on the brain, was discharged last Sunday. One of his first acts was to call on Miss Reta Gordon, a young woman who lives in an expensive apartment at 4201 South Michigan avenue.

The movie man had been known to be infatuated with Miss Gordon. The room at 4149 South Michigan avenue in which he had lived for more than a year had a window facing the woman's apartment.

Very recently, presumably Wednesday evening, Montgomery had a quarrel with Miss Gordon. Late Wednesday night Dr. Leon Bloch of 1010 South Ashland avenue, the physician who had attended Montgomery in the hospital, got a hurry call. The call took him to Montgomery, who is said to have told the doctor he had taken ninety grains of veronal.

Landlady Finds Him.

A couple of hours after Dr. Bloch had left the ringing of the telephone aroused Mrs. Lillian Warner, Montgomery's landlady, who found the movie man unconscious in his room. At his side was a bottle of bichloride of mercury tablets.

In Montgomery's room they found four letters. One of them, addressed to Miss Gordon, ran:

"Have taken the bichloride as per your suggestion and can now feel the effects of same. Want you to have my watch, fob, and ring. Also any interest I may have in mother's estate. Good-by, sweetheart, and always remember that I loved you only."

"Good-by, Old Scout."

To the father Montgomery wrote:

"Hello, Dad: Good-by, old scout. Only one thing that I want you to do is to see that Reta Gordon gets my share of mother's estate. Lots of good luck and please forgive everything. CHESTER."

According to a dispatch from St. Paul Montgomery's father is a real estate and investment broker there and is well to do.

"I don't know much of Miss Gordon," the elder Montgomery told a TRIBUNE correspondent. "I met her only once. Miss Gordon, I understand, is wealthy. I was told she gave a buckle studded with seventy-two diamonds to Chester as a Christmas present and he gave her a $700 piano. Chester must have been delirious when he wrote the reference to his share of his mother's estate. It has been spent by him long since."

WOMAN SUES FOR $50,000.

Kate Reinhardt Asks That Sum of Joseph Schack, Artificial Flower Firm Head.

A suit for $50,000 was filed in the Circuit court yesterday by Kate Reinhardt against Joseph Schack, president of the Schack Artificial Flower company at 1739 Milwaukee avenue. Only the precipe was filed, and Edwin J. Lyons, attorney for the complainant, refused to discuss the case.

STREET MAIL CAR ROBBERY BALKED BY CROOK'S BLUFF

"Mr. Green" Is "Sassy" to Police and Arrest Reveals Daylight Holdup Plot.

The "Great Madison Street Mail Car Robbery" has been indefinitely postponed. Fred A. Boyer, chief instigator and plotter, was "sassy" to a policeman and is under arrest.

Incidentally there are seventeen indictments against Boyer reposing in the vaults of various federal courts.

Here's the story of the capture:

The Warren avenue police had been annoyed by a number of anonymous telephone calls, and so Policemen Thomas Kelliher and Edward Hughes decided they would question a crowd of men found loitering in a poolroom at Madison street and Winchester avenue.

"You'd better get out and find something else to do," said one of the men to Kelliher. "I'm Mr. Edward Green of 4315 Drexel boulevard, and I'll see that you find other work than annoying respectable citizens."

Kelliher went outside and told Hughes what "Green" had said. Hughes went inside.

"I'm going to report you and get your job," said "Green," jotting down his number.

Tries to Lose Paper.

"I think I'll take you to the station and see who you are," replied Hughes, grabbing his arm and marching him along. The prisoner slipped a folded piece of paper from his pocket and dropped it on the floor. Kelliher saw it and picked it up.

When the station was reached the paper was unfolded and spread out before Sergt. John Norton. It contained a schedule of the mail cars on Madison street. There was a map of Madison street for four blocks east of Ashland avenue, showing all the cross streets and alleys.

There was a diagram of a car in front of 1352 Madison street with a dotted line from the car to that address and thence out into the alley in the rear. At the front of the car was the notation "Che." At the rear was the name "Frank." On the sidewalk was written "Dick." In the car was the word "Fred." In large figures and letters was "3:10 p. m.," the exact time at which the mail car is due to reach Ashland avenue.

Confesses Holdup Plan.

Under close questioning, "Green" admitted he was Boyar and that he had planned to hold up the mail car at 3:10 some afternoon with the aid of three companions. "Che," it was learned, stood for Charles Stammer of 1449 Ogden avenue, arrested some time ago as an automobile robber and now being held under $20,000 bonds. "Dick" stood for Dick Andrea of 227 South Paulina street, another automobile robber being held under $30,000 bonds. The police have been unable to learn who "Frank" stands for on the map.

The men were to stop the car between Sheldon and Laflin streets. Stammer was to cover the motorman with a revolver while Frank held up the conductor. Andrea was to stand on the sidewalk and "take care" of any policeman or passerby who attempted to interfere.

Boyer was to enter the mail car, hold up the two clerks, and escape with what loot he could. The men were then to flee through a passageway in the basement of 1352 Madison street which leads into the alley in the rear. Boyer evidently was waiting for Stammer and Andrea to obtain their release on bail.

CLUB WOMEN FLY SANITARY BOARD, FEARING A RIOT

Clark and Dailey Separated After Attempt to Pommel Each Other.

"PADDED PAY ROLL" IS UP.

The sanitary district board yesterday held one of the most riotous sessions in its history. Trustees passed the lie to each other so frequently that it almost became the order of the day.

At one stage of the row Trustees Wallace G. Clark and James M. Dailey threatened to "punch" each other in the face. A physical fight between them was prevented only by intervention of John F. O'Neill, the district's chief of police.

Clark and Dailey called each other "liar" and "you're another" and shook their fists in each other's face. A delegation of club women present to watch proceedings became frightened as a result of the uproar and several made hasty retreats from the boardroom in search of safety.

The row came to a climax when Trustee Clark moved that the board go into committee of the whole. A delegation from Blue Island, headed by Mayor Jerry Jones, wanted to be heard on the sewage problem of the Calumet region.

Clark Blue Island Spokesman.

Trustee Clark made himself spokesman for the Blue Island delegation and insisted the only way he could get "fair treatment" was in committee of the whole.

Trustee Thomas M. Sullivan, Democratic floor leader, and others objected on the ground that Mayor Jones and his delegation had received an invitation by letter from President Thomas A. Smyth to appear before the committee on engineering.

"These people have come up here to find out what the policy of this board is with reference to the new sanitary district in Indiana," Trustee Clark said. "It is important that they get a hearing. They can't get it in the ordinary committee meeting.

"Only yesterday I was told that I was not a member of the finance committee and I was refused a chance to be heard."

"When Trustee Clark says that, he lies," Trustee Dailey shouted, jumping to his feet. Clark and Dailey occupy adjoining desks.

Both Men Hurl "Liar."

"Be careful how you use that word to me," Clark shouted back, advancing toward his adversary.

"When you make statements that are false I will say that you are a liar," yelled Dailey at the top of his voice, shaking his fist in the air.

"I am not a liar; you're a liar when you say I am a liar," Clark came back.

The uproar was now at its height. President Smyth yelled and pounded with his gavel. The two trustees glared at each other and appeared ready to swing into a real fight.

Clerk John McGillen jumped down from his rostrum and ran toward Trustee Dailey, evidently to warn him not to strike the first blow.

"Don't fall for him," he warned. "Don't fall for his bluff."

"Marshal, bring in the marshal," President Smyth yelled, seeing his gavel had no effect.

The two "scrappers" were dangerously near the "gallery" occupied by the club women and other visitors, and several of the women got up and moved out of the danger zone. For a moment there was a jam as a result of women trying to get out and men trying to force their way in to see the fight.

Marshal John F. O'Neill forced his way in and ran between the fighting trustees. Both men then subsided and took their seats. Subsequently Clark and Dailey appeared apologetic toward each other.

Trustee George W. Paullin got in several whacks on his own account by shouting that it was the policy of the majority to refuse a hearing to persons they didn't want to hear and that the mayor of Blue Island was "just as important" as the mayor of any other municipality.

Clark's Motion Lost.

While he spoke, Trustee Paullin shook his fist in the direction of President Smyth. The row ended only when the board took a vote on Clark's motion to go into committee of the whole. It was defeated. Only Clark and Paullin voted to hear the Blue Island delegation.

From the opening of the meeting disagreements arose on nearly every question that came up. The first row occurred over the question of adopting a budget for 1915. Trustee Thomas M. Sullivan, chairman of the engineering committee, presented a report deferring action on the budget until the legislature would act on a new proposed civil service measure.

A minority report was presented by Trustee Paullin. This report favored the immediate adoption of a budget system for the district, and defined what the budget is. It urged the reform in the interest of economy and expedition of business.

Charges "Padded Pay Rolls."

"I don't want Trustee Sullivan and Controller Mahoney to laugh and sneer at what I am saying," Trustee Paullin said. "I have rights here and I propose to exercise them."

"O, let 'em grin," interrupted Sullivan.

"The taxpayers are being robbed of about $30,000 a year by padded pay rolls," Trustee Clark said. "The department heads are all against this proposal. I vote with Trustee Paullin for a budget."

"Trustee Clark states a falsehood when he says the department heads are against the budget," Trustee Dailey said. "Mr. Clark has made charges of padded pay rolls without proof. It is a lie. We ought to have facts, not bulldozing tactics."

"Out of justice to me, if there is pay roll padding we ought to have the information so we know what we are doing," newly elected Trustee Carr said.

"I repeat that the pay roll is padded," Trustee Clark asserted. "I only state what every member knows. The accountants' report shows that there are twenty-seven bookkeepers on the pay roll when only two are needed."

"There are only three bookkeepers," President Smyth said. "The others are clerks."

"What's the difference?" asked Trustee Paullin.

At this point Trustee Clark obtained the floor on a question of personal privilege and presented an affidavit by Abraham M. Liebling, editor of a Jewish daily paper. It stated that President Smyth had been forced by threats from Congressman A. J. Sabath to employ Leon Zolotkoff as an attorney for the district. Zolotkoff is editor of a rival Jewish paper.

"Last meeting I made certain statements about the pay roll and my veracity was questioned," Mr. Clark said.

Then he read the affidavit and asked that it be included in the proceedings.

"I wouldn't dignify it by having it go into the proceedings," said President Smyth. "I will say the substance of the affidavit is false. I can make an affidavit contrary to it. It is only hearsay."

Both the majority and minority report on the budget and the affidavit were referred to the finance committee.

"I am glad we are going to have a hearing on the affidavit," Trustee Paullin said. "Maybe we'll find out who President Smyth's political boss is."

The affidavit, stated that Zolotkoff devoted his time to the editing of the Jewish Courier.

TAKES TIME BY FORELOCK; DIVORCES APRILL FROM MAY

August Judge Separates Pair When the Match Is Shown as Unseasonable One.

Simon Aprill tired of his peculiar lot as a wifeless husband—and being convinced his unkissed bride had no intention of availing herself of his bed and board. Aprill went into the Superior court yesterday and got Judge Mangan to give him a divorce.

It was a year ago that Aprill and May, his sweetheart, went to Milwaukee and were married—a mistake right at the start, for May had told Aprill she would have preferred to be a June bride.

"And now?" asked Aprill, when the knot had been tied.

"We'll both march home," said May to Aprill, "and wait till June or July."

Aprill essayed the rôle of august husband, but May had her way. She went to her home and Simon went to his, and no one among their relatives knew they were married. By and by, May herself professed to have forgotten. Whenever Simon renewed his pleading that she return to him, she would gently inform him she feared she could never make him happy. At last the truth burst upon Aprill like a rainbow.

"You can't get ahead of me, May," said Aprill, the truth of which assertion, tolerant reader, you may verify by reference to any properly constructed calendar. "You're just kidding me along."

"Thirty days for you, Aprill," said May, brightly. "Lock him up, officer."

Thus dismissed, Simon went to court and won back his bachelorhood. If May's ambition to become a June bride is gratified in some future year, one thing is certain—Aprill won't be her partner.

FIRE DOES $100,000 DAMAGE ALONG COMMISSION ROW.

Ten Thousand Pounds of Veal Are Ruined Among Losses in West South Water Street.

Fire practically destroyed a four story brick building at 209-11 West South Water street last night and caused a loss estimated at from $75,000 to $100,000. The building was occupied by commission merchants and poultry and veal dealers.

Ten thousand pounds of veal stored in iceboxes in the store of Batterman & Koelling on the first floor at 209 West South Water street were ruined.

The fire started on the third floor, occupied by the commission house of J. N. Adams, and had spread to the fourth floor, also occupied by the Adams concern, before it was discovered by Policeman Joseph Lowler.

Will Act as Clerk in Glencoe Election.

MRS. FRED W. KING

Mrs. Fred W. King, president of the Glencoe Equal Suffrage league, will act as election clerk tomorrow when Glencoe will vote on the approval of a bond issue of $6,500 for the improvement of the village fire department. Members of the several women's organizations in Glencoe plan to make a special effort to get the women out to vote, and they believe that one of their own sex officiating in the polling booth will attract many voters who might otherwise be disinterested.

GLASS TO CARRY BANKING TANGLE TO WHITE HOUSE

Wilson Will Hear of Forgan and Reynolds' Alleged Domination Here.

MAY TRY TO AMEND THE ACT.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—Representative Glass, chairman of the house banking and currency committee, intends to carry the fight on the alleged domination of the Chicago reserve bank by George M. Reynolds and James B. Forgan directly to the White House.

After a conference with the federal reserve board today Mr. Glass determined to lay the Chicago situation before President Wilson on the latter's return from Indianapolis, where he will speak tomorrow.

Several of the board members expressed the opinion that Mr. Forgan was legally elected to his position as class A director in group 2, inasmuch as he was nominated by the group 2 banks. Mr. Glass told them that even though he was nominated, both his nomination and election were contrary to the spirit and the intent of the law.

Sought Just Representation.

"It was the determination of congress," he said, "to divide the directors so that they should come from the groups which they represent and be representative of those groups."

If Mr. Glass finds that the reserve board rules in favor of Mr. Forgan he intends to try to have legislation enacted at this session to amend the law in such a way as to prevent the recurrence of elections similar to Mr. Forgan's, where a big banker is chosen to represent banks with a medium or small capitalization.

While Mr. Glass was conferring with the reserve board and Democratic members of the house committee, Congressman Lindbergh of Minnesota, who introduced a resolution directing the reserve board to investigate the Chicago situation, was lining up members of the house in favor of reopening the money trust investigation, as well as the Chicago investigation.

New Legislation Needed?

That additional legislation and not a ruling of the reserve board is necessary to decentralize the system is the contention of some congressmen, including Mr. Lindbergh.

Another matter which will be presented to the reserve board for action is the selection of counsel for the various district banks. It is the intention of Mr. Glass, Mr. Lindbergh, and others on the house banking and currency committee to insist that the board promulgate a regulation requiring counsel for the reserve banks to sever all connections with member banks or with firms of attorneys which have as their clients member banks. This will directly affect Charles L. Powell, attorney for the Chicago bank, who, incidentally, is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Reynolds.

To Watch Rediscounting.

The reserve board also will be urged to pay closer attention to the fixing of the rediscount rate in the various districts, as well as the acceptance of commercial paper, in order to give the smaller member banks the greatest possible advantage under the law.

The board has learned that in a number of the districts the directors have purposely recommended a high rediscount rate in order to forestall demands for loans.

ARNOLD SEES PANIC'S END.

In an address given at the Press club at the noon hour yesterday Vice President John J. Arnold of the First National bank expressed a belief that the new federal reserve system would free the banks of the country from the operation of many features inherent to the system instituted fifty years ago, establishing conditions in which panics such as that of 1907 would become impossible.

"The thing which we have been trying to avoid," added Mr. Arnold, "is to make out of this system a political machine. The controversy which is going on at present between the politicians and bankers is one of the best things that could possibly occur.

"I believe that as a result of this controversy, the question whether or not these institutions shall be purely commercial or whether they shall be interfered with by politicians, is going to be settled once and for all. I believe these new institutions will be left in the hands of business men, the commercial interests.

"The organization is such that there need be absolutely no apprehension on the part of the business world with regard to the management of these institutions, providing they are not made into political machines.

Men's Ability Not Questioned.

"The ability of the men who have been selected to conduct them has not been questioned, but their relationships have been called into question. Now, what difference does it make to you or to me whether a certain man has been employed in a certain institution and is then placed in a position of responsibility, so long as he is the man for the place, a man who knows how to handle a situation, and who has the confidence of the people?

"That is exactly the situation here in Chicago today. Not an appointment that has been made has been questioned as to the ability of the man. I want to repeat this. I believe it is the best thing that could have happened that this should come to an issue now in the beginning and that the question be settled once and for all.

"Only as the institutions are placed in the hands of men in whom the community has confidence can there be a real success."

FEDS AT INDIANAPOLIS MAKE WAR MOVES ON O. B.

LEADERS MEET TO PLAN FIGHT BEFORE LANDIS

Magnates, Managers, Attorneys, and Players Hold Conference.

WARD TO AID COUNSEL

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—Federal league magnates, attorneys, and players assembled here today to polish up their guns and sabers for the court battle against organized baseball scheduled to take place before Judge Landis in Chicago Jan. 20. Attorneys Ed Gates and Keene Addington, official counsel of the independent league, conducted the meeting, held behind closed doors all afternoon and far into the night, when it adjourned until tomorrow. President Gilmore is expected to join the forces tomorrow.

The purpose of the meeting seems to be to secure affidavits from several of the players signed for next year as well as to collect further evidence to substantiate the bill of complaint filed against organized ball in the United States District court in Chicago. However, the magnates and attorneys declined to discuss their business for publication.

Ward to Help Feds.

At least fifteen men, including the attorneys gathered at the meeting and others, are expected to be here tomorrow. One of the first to arrive was John M. Ward, the old time player, but at present lawyer in New York, who was associated with the Brooklyn Federals last year. Indications were that Ward would become associate counsel for the Feds in the "trust busting" fight to take place in Chicago. Having been through the war of the Brotherhood as a player Ward is fitted by experience to be of aid to the Federals in the present combat.

Accompanying Ward from Brooklyn came Lee Magee, the Cincinnati boy against whom the St. Louis National league club seeks a United States court order enjoining him from acting as manager of the Brooklyn Federals. From Baltimore came "Ned" Hanlon and Harry Goldman, connected with the Baltimore Feds, and Otto Knabe, manager of the club. "Rebel" Oakes, manager of the Pittsburgh Feds, accompanied by pitcher "Pol" Perritt, who at one time gave evidence of a desire to return to the Cardinals' sage, came in from Pittsburgh.

Chicago Men on Scene.

Late in the afternoon a goodly delegation arrived from Chicago. Numbered in this party were: Keene Addington, associate counsel; Joe Tinker, manager of the Chifeds; Lloyd Rickart, secretary of the league; and Ed Konetchy, some time Cardinal and Pirate first baseman in the National league but now aligned with the Pittfeds. President Krause and Manager Phillips represented the local club.

Oakes, Perritt, Konetchy, Tinker, Magee, and Knabe undoubtedly will furnish affidavits in support of the bill of complaint in the suit filed before Judge Landis in Chicago, and it is believed that Ward, Hanlon, Rickart, and Goldman are here in an advisory capacity. All the last named four are experienced baseball men. Each and every one has been through at least one "war."

Affidavits by Players.

Oakes, Perritt, and Konetchy's affidavits, it can be affirmed, will relate to circumstances surrounding the recent "kidnaping" case in which all figured in St. Louis at the time Perritt went there at the solicitation of Manager Miller Huggins of the Cardinals and finally was spirited to Chicago by Oakes and Konetchy.

Tinker's evidence undoubtedly will have to do with the Walter Johnson case, and Lee Magee will be called upon to throw light on his dealings with the St. Louis Cardinals, his recent clash with August Herrmann, chairman of the national commission, in Cincinnati, and the suit that has been filed to enjoin him from playing with the Federal league.

"What are you going to do with this suit, Joe, break up professional baseball?" he was asked.

"I should say not," was the emphatic reply. "All we are trying to do is to give it a good house cleaning and when we have eradicated the 'business men,' put in nothing but sportsmen. Baseball is a game for sportsmen, and we propose to have nothing but sportsmen in it. We are tired of having it run by two men."

"To whom do you refer?"

"Ban Johnson and Garry Herrmann. And, believe me, I know. I was in Cincinnati one year, but long enough to learn who runs the game. Do you remember the time they reframed the drafting rules a year ago last August? Why they did that over night and not a minor league club owner in the country knew what it was all about until after the draft had been made."

CUBS' PRESIDENT DENOUNCES FEDS

That organized baseball has begun preparations of its defense in the injunction suit filed by the Federal league was made known yesterday when President Thomas of the Cubs gave to the press a copy of a long letter he had written to August Herrmann, president of the national commission, apparently in answer to a request from Herrmann to all major league club owners for their views on the Federal league.

Thomas was in secret conference with his attorneys most of the day and he gave out the letter with their approval. In it he denounced the methods of the Federal league leaders as shattering the confidence of the public in the honesty of baseball. He declared he welcomed the action of the Feds in bringing suit against organized ball and characterized the action as the last gasp of the independents. The letter in part follows:

"The damage wrought by the Federal league cannot in its entirety be made specific. Regard of contractual obligation is sacred. That is it should be. The promoters of the Federal league in their frenzied efforts to tear down something that it required others nearly half a century to erect have shown no moral ethics whatever. The damage that they have done to the chief outdoor sport of the American people may be irreparable.

"By their ill-advised methods they have done much to shatter confidence in that great bulwark of baseball, honesty on the ball field. I am informed that their affairs have been conducted in a lax manner and by inexperienced persons. The methods of the Federal league promoters would be frowned upon in any commercial or industrial line. They have cheapened baseball by employing paid press agents, whose literary efforts lack the spontaneity of writers actuated purely by sentiment. Their promoters, instead of forbidding betting, have publicly offered to have their clubs play for wagers."

COLLINS FOR SOX, SAYS COMISKEY

Owner Over the Long Distance Phone Denies Yankees Will Get Infielder.

BY JAMES CRUSINBERRY.

"Eddie Collins will be playing for the White Sox for the next five years if he lives. There's no truth in that report from New York that he's to be turned over to the Yankees. Do those fellows down there think that I'm buying star ball players just for the winter?"

That was part of a conversation with President Comiskey of the south side team over the long distance telephone last night. Comiskey is at Excelsior Springs, Mo., and when informed by telegram that a story had come out of New York stating he was to turn over his new second baseman to the Yanks, the Old Roman wasted no time in calling up THE TRIBUNE to deny the report.

The New York story stated Comiskey had purchased Collins only to offset the attraction the Chifeds had grabbed in getting Walter Johnson, and when "Commy" had been assured by attorneys that Johnson would surely pitch for Washington instead of for the Chifeds, he agreed to turn his expensive second sacker over to the New York team.

Wanted Star and Got Him.

"The Walter Johnson affair never entered into our plan of getting Eddie Collins," said Comiskey regarding that point. "I wanted a second baseman and a great hitter, and the reason I wanted him was because I want to win a pennant. We needed a second baseman probably worse than the New York club does, and we have one now and he'll be playing for the White Sox on the south side for the next five years.

"I can't believe that the new owners of the Yankees expect me to give Eddie Collins to them. If they have any such thoughts in mind they will be disappointed. Eddie Collins will be with the White Sox."

The report said that President Johnson of the American league had left New York yesterday to meet Comiskey here today and put through a deal to send Collins to New York. Comiskey, however, said over the telephone he would not return from Excelsior Springs until Sunday morning, and he had no intention of meeting Johnson here.

Johnson had expected to return from New York several days ago and join Comiskey at the springs for a brief outing, but it is supposed he will remain here to prepare the defense of the American league and the national commission for the suit brought against organized ball by the Federal league, the first hearing being booked to take place here on Jan. 20.

Glad News for Fans.

The fact that Eddie Collins is sure to play with the White Sox will be glad news to the south side fans, who were greatly wrought up last night over the report that the star second sacker was to be turned over to New York.

As soon as Comiskey returns Clarence Rowland, the new Sox leader, is expected to come over from his home in Dubuque to talk over the plans with his boss for the spring training trip. The date for starting on the jaunt to California has been set for Feb. 12, but there is a possibility it will be changed to a date about a week later now that the Pacific Coast league has abandoned its plan to open its season a week earlier than customary.

YANKS' DEAL FINALLY ENDS.

New York, Jan. 7.—The final details of the transfer of the New York American league baseball club franchise were completed here this afternoon. Col. Jacob Ruppert and T. L. Huston, the New York owners, assumed control with the passing of stock by Frank J. Farrell, the former executive. President B. B. Johnson of the American league left immediately for Chicago after having devoted almost a month to the consummation of the deal which gives the club new owners for the first time since its establishment here in 1903.

LEAVE FOR GOLF MEETING.

Frank L. Woodward, nominee for the presidency of the United States Golf association, reached Chicago from Denver yesterday and left in the afternoon for New York. He was accompanied by Silas M. Strawn of the Chicago Golf club and W. A. Alexander of Old Elm, who will represent these organizations at the annual meeting of the U. S. G. A. tonight.

Woodward believes the present rule defining the status of an amateur player needs little alteration, but he thinks there is urgent need for stricter enforcement of it. He is taking with him the draft of a rule framed by Crafts W. Higgins, assistant secretary of the Western Golf association, which will be offered as an amendment to section 3 of the by-laws. Mr. Woodward also advocates the passing of a more stringent rule in relation to exhibitions by amateurs at hotel courses for expenses. This is expected to produce a hot discussion.

MARTIN TAKES ROLLER RACE.

Fred Martin of Milwaukee won the first intercity roller skating marathon last night at the Riverview rink, hanging up a new professional record. Martin, who represents the Riverview rink of Milwaukee, covered the distance of 20 miles 836 yards in 1:16:45. The old record was 1:25:08 1-5. Fred Tyrell of the Chicago Riverview rink finished second, and Joseph Leury of the Sportsmen's Club of America, third.

In the Wake of the News

By RING W. LARDNER

BASEBALL IN 1915.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 20.—In the Supreme Court of the United States today proceedings were had as follows:

Joe Flynn of the Central league, Gus Henke of the Southern Michigan league, and Bill Johnson of the American association were admitted to big league practice.

The following decisions were announced:

516—Game of April 17. Chicago White Sox, plaintiff in error, vs. Detroit Tigers, etc.; in error to Silk O'Loughlin's court. Plaintiff alleged unconstitutional theft of bases by one Tyrus Cobb. Decree affirmed with costs. Opinion by Justice Pitney; dissenting, Justice McKenna, Justice Day, and Justice Hughes.

347—Game of April 20. Cornelius McGillicuddy, the Athletics, etc., plaintiff in error, vs. Walter Johnson, the Washington ball club, etc. Game protested on ground that Walter Johnson had signed with Federal league. Judgment affirmed with costs. Opinion by Justice Lamar.

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The chief justice announced the following orders of the court:

329—Tex Russell, pitcher, etc., vs. Clarence Rowland, etc. Motion for leave to keep on pitching in forma pauperis (poor form) denied.

1006—Franklin Baker, etc., vs. Dick Rudolph, etc.; ordered that this case be placed on the fall docket.

122—Christy Mathewson, petitioner, vs. Victor Saier; petition for a writ of rightus handorum (to make him turn around and bat right handed) denied.

906—The Cleveland ball club, petitioner, vs. the rest of the American league; petition for a writ of habeas stellas (you can have a few stars) granted.

245—John Collins, Eddie Collins, etc., petitioners, vs. Ping Bodie; petition for a writ of herausmithim granted on ground that defendant's presence on the base lines is in restraint of commerce.

887—Henry Zimmerman, petitioner, vs. Eddie Cicotte; petition for writ of wailoporum (to take another swing at that third one) dismissed on motion of Frank Schulte as amicus curiae (friend of the curious) petitioner.

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The record was:

499—George Weaver, plaintiff in error, vs. I. E. Sanborn, official scorer. Argument commenced by Attorney David Fults, based on spherus boundabat male (the ball took a false hop).

12—Ed Walsh vs John Doe, replevin of arm. Submitted by Clarence Rowland and Charles A. Comiskey for the plaintiff in misery.

460—The United States of America, by James C. McReynolds, attorney general of the United States, plaintiff in error and appellant, vs. the Baseball War; argument commenced by counsel for the appellant to show there are not good ball players enough for two leagues, let alone three.

Adjourned until tomorrow at 12 o'clock. The call for May 27 will be as follows: No. 654; Pat Moran vs. the Philadelphia ball club; damages resulting from appointment as dux Philliorum (manager of the Phillies). No. 390; Napoleon Rucker vs. Organized Baseball; wastus temporem Brooklyna (making him waste his whole career in Brooklyn).

POLICE PULLERS WIN TUG-O'-WAR

Beat Sleipners by Inch and Three-quarters for the Title.

Capt. William L. Malone and his fellow "cops" won the tug of war championship of the Central A. A. U. in the tourney at First regiment armory last night, defeating the Sleipner A. C. team, former titleholder, by one and three-quarters inches in the deciding pull.

Malone's team defeated the Western Electric squad in a preliminary contest after two pulls. The first contest ended in a draw, but the "cops" won the second by eight feet. The Sleipners defeated the Cable Piano company team in their first trial by twelve and one-quarter inches. The members of the police team were: W. L. Malone, captain; Conrad Magnuson, C. Wieland, John J. Kling, Charles Zeller, and Moritz Schmidt. John Foot and William Schubert were the reserves.

By their victory the policemen won the trip to the coast fair, where the championship squads of the various divisions of the A. A. U. will compete for the national title. A representative of the Seattle police was present and he challenged the victorious team to stop at Seattle en route west and meet the police team of that city. The westerners are ready to give the Chicagoans a handicap of one inch.

AMATEUR CUE TITLE MEET AWARDED TO QUAKER CITY.

New York, Jan. 7.—[Special.]—At a meeting of the National Association of Amateur Billiard Players today, it was decided to hold the class A championship 18-2 balk line billiard tournament at the Union League club, Philadelphia, beginning on Monday, March 1. It was thought that the Sportsmen's club of Chicago would put in a bid for the tournament, but that organization was not represented, and the Philadelphia club received the award without opposition. All players who can make a grand average of eight or better are eligible to enter. The entry list will close with Dr. W. G. Douglass, 542 Fifth avenue, this city, on Saturday, Feb. 20.

RILEY WINS AT BUFFALO.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 7.—William Riley of Chicago defeated W. R. Cullen of Buffalo, 50 to 43, in 105 innings in an Interstate Three Cushion Billiard league match here tonight.

AT THE BILLIARD ROOMS.

Klotcher defeated Kandui, 50 to 36, in the three cushion tournament at Weeghman's.

Warren [75] defeated Gilman [73] in the straight rail tournament at Hart's by two points.

In the class A tournament at Conklin & Burdick's Reloff [40] defeated Enquist [40], 40 to 36.

Betracek Sets Pin Mark

SUBURBAN bowlers showed up the town men last night when Frank Betracek, a member of the Berwyns in the North Berwyn league, averaged 245 1-3, raising the record made by William Pickett the night before by eleven pins. His scores were 279, 247, and 210, and were made on regulation alleys. Pickett's series still will ride as the Chicago record. The Berwyns won three games from the Oak Parks.

The Littau Ryes averaged 1,015 in the Northwest league, and the Lady Alps notched 1,002 flat in Schall's league.

NORTH BERWYN.

BERWYNS.				OAK PARKS.			
Pondilik	214	178	225	A. Reimanik's	159	178	
Blind	120	125	136	Lotes	177	221	143
S. Slade	181	201	176	H. Reim'n	186	153	162
Heiden	148	179	149	Klick	212	197	158
Betracek	279	247	210	Jones	176	146	196
Totals	947	928	900	Totals	929	891	835

NORTHWEST.

EDELWEISS.				LITTAN RYES.			
Schreiber	161	200	161	Mor'ski	187	164	215
Fenske	179	167	190	Kafora	204	226	229
Lowe	196	258	195	Gr'field	204	194	179
Kurch	187	195	183	Haak	193	213	226
Fog'nese	207	200	192	Kaad	176	213	214
Totals	942	1020	911	Totals	963	1020	1063

HALPERINS.				FAVORITES.			
Elke	179	161	161	Block	166	194	186
Stat'stein	199	211	181	R'enberg	170	176	142
La Salle	205	215	151	Weiss	187	168	191
Hemke	187	199	146	Kurch	159	160	141
Peterson	167	193	196	Fog'nese	229	162	164
Totals	949	968	869	Totals	897	908	824

SOUTH SIDE.

S. Chi.	918	884	896	Schillers	800	805	817
O'Learys	964	1009	914	Ellis	851	888	851

BOAKES TO PLAY STEVENS.

Harry Boakes Jr. of the University club will play Arthur Stevens of the same club a match of racquets tomorrow at the Michigan avenue club. They will play best three out of five games and the winner will meet Ebbie Rogers of the New York Racquets and Tennis club on Jan. 23.

SPORTING NEWS NOTES.

The Amateur Athletic federation will meet at 8 o'clock tonight at the Boston Oyster house, rooms 11 and 12.

Hyde Park Y. M. C. A. swimmers defeated the Lane Tech High school team, 40 to 34, in the formers' tank last night.

Wrestlers, gymnasts, and fencers will appear tonight in the weekly athletic show at the Sportsmen's club.

Crane Junior college defeated the Crane High school indoor nine at Crane yesterday, 5 to 3. Pitcher Krase struck out fifteen high school boys.

The Central A. A. U. indoor track and field championships will be held under the auspices of the Illinois A. C. in Patten gymnasium on April 3.

Accurate marksmanship by Lewis, who shot nine baskets, gave the Central Maroons a 35 to 21 victory over the Grace Methodist Episcopal quintet in the Central Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last night.

RESTRICTS PLAY OF "PREP" FIVES

Board Forbids Games with Outside Teams; Tourney to Replace League.

BY PREP.

Members of the Chicago High School board of athletic control, sitting in special session in the board of education rooms yesterday, took a firm stand to eliminate interscholastic competition in basketball this year. The only real combats in this sport will take place in a tournament between members of the league on four Saturdays in February and in intrascholastic contests which are now being played.

Efforts to permit outside competition with other than school teams were made, but the board resolutely upheld a gentleman's agreement entered into at the last meeting. Even if a school team is eliminated in the first game of the tournament it will not be allowed to compete with outside schools, but must return to the school gymnasium to play with other teams of the same school.

Delay Action Against Teams.

Action against players of four schools who were reported to have violated the rules was postponed pending a review of their cases from reports by teams which were played. Crane is alleged to have played Joliet, Bowen is said to have played at Hinsdale, North Division at Armour institute, and Hyde Park against Evanston High and Keewatin academy. Hyde Park has determined to drop from the basketball league, and the team will be refused the privilege of using the school name.

Suspension of players on the other three teams will follow if it is shown that they played outside of the constitutional realm under the names of their respective schools. North Division is said to have played Hinsdale with a team which will be graduated next month. Bowen acknowledges that the youngsters were prohibited from using the school name and that one member of the team was an outsider, and Crane is said to have played its junior college five at Joliet.

Medill Case Reviewed.

According to evidence presented, Medill High school, which played Maine Township at Des Plaines in a football contest last Thanksgiving day without a faculty representative present, was unable to secure a guardian to accompany the eleven. Principal Hall, however, gave permission to the boys to go. The secretary was instructed to write to the principal calling attention to a violation of the constitution.

MAROON TOSSERS DRILL FOR CLASH WITH PURPLE.

Chicago university basketball players will have their last practice session today before their first conference game with Northwestern tomorrow night. Since the opening of the year Coach Page has been grooming his men for the initial contest of the "big nine" season, for he regards the Purple as one of the strongest fives in the west.

The Maroon coach will take a large squad of men to Evanston in order to present his strongest lineup.

Page directed a long drill of the varsity against the freshmen last night, topping off the session with a talk on Purple styles of play. He has been preparing the team for two weeks for the games against the Methodist players and against Ohio State, which will invade the Midway on Jan. 16.

DISLOCATES RIB IN GAME.

Right Guard McAlpin of the basketball team representing the First Baptist church of Maywood dislocated a rib in his left side last night in the closing minute of a hard battle between the church team and Proviso High school at the "prep" gymnasium. McAlpin was taken to his home. Proviso won, 18 to 16.

Lineup:

Proviso [18].		First Baptist [16].
Wright	R. F.	Wrobke
Evans	L. F.	Adams
Dennis	C.	Lidecke
A. Peters	R. G.	Martin
Oakes	L. G.	L. Peters

Basket—Dennis [6], Wright [4], Wrobke [3], Adams [2], Nieman [2]. Free throws—Wrobke [2]. Referee—Brinkerhoff.

ST. IGNATIUS WINS OPENER.

St. Ignatius won its first game in the Catholic High School Basketball league yesterday, defeating De La Salle 20 to 7, in the heavyweight section at Armour square. At half time St. Ignatius led, 16 to 4. Holton featured with four baskets. Lineup:

St. Ignatius [20].		De La Salle [7].
Larkin	R. F.	McCarthy
Malloy, Reis	L. F.	Mack, Magken
Holton	C.	Keegan
Egan, McAuley	R. G.	O'Malley
Minnahan	L. G.	Cahill

Baskets—Holton [4], Larkin [3], Malloy [3], Egan, Minnahan, McCarthy, Cahill. Free throws—Larkin [5], McCarthy [3].

BANKERS DEFEAT KENOSHA.

Kenosha, Wis., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—First National Bank basketball players of Chicago won from the Park M. E. quintet of this city, 36 to 27, tonight. At half time the visitors were in front, 20 to 14. Pritchard and Green featured on the offensive.

SHOOT PRIZE TO NORTHCOTT.

W. P. Northcott won first prize and gold medal last night in the Illinois State Revolver association re-entry match. Northcott and C. J. Johnson tied with three perfect 100 point scores. Northcott then defeated Johnson in the shootoff, giving Johnson second place. R. R. Palmer won third place.

'MIDDLES' READY FOR GO TONIGHT IN BADGER RING

Winner of McGoorty-Murray Bout Will Meet Clabby or Gibbons Later.

BY WALTER H. ECKERSALL.

The first of a series of elimination contests to determine who has the right to hold the title of middleweight champion will take place tonight before the National A. C. of Milwaukee, where Eddie McGoorty of Oshkosh, Wis., considered one of the most clever boxers in the division, and "Fighting Billy" Murray of San Francisco, a fighter with plenty of knockouts to his credit, meet in a ten round contest. With the winner promised a match with the victor of the Jimmy Clabby-Mike Gibbons bout to be staged in the same city on Jan. 21 it is assured the scrap will be a real battle.

In his years of experience as a fighter McGoorty has shown the fans he combines the qualities of a boxer and fighter. He is credited with having the best left hook since the day of Bob Fitzsimmons, although many claim the punch is not as effective as that of Charley White. Although he uses his right considerably when he lands his "one, two" punch. McGoorty does not use it as much as the left. Eddie depends on his right more for guarding purposes than for damaging results.

Murray Holds K. O. Record.

In the three years during which he has been in the pugilistic game Murray has had fifty fights and forty of them have been won on knockouts. He is a rushing fighter who whales away with both hands. He uses a defense which also may cause McGoorty a lot of trouble. The westerner stands 5 feet 10 inches in height and has the surprisingly long reach of seventy-four inches—an uncommon thing among fighters of this height.

Murray can make the middleweight limit—158 pounds ringside—with ease, although the weight for tonight's contest will be 160 pounds at 3 o'clock. This agreement will allow McGoorty to build up before ring time and crawl through the ropes seven hours later with an advantage of several pounds.

Unlike McGoorty, the Californian depends upon awkward right swings for his knockouts. He has shown he can take a lot of punishment and still come back for more, and because of his hitting ability, McGoorty will have to be on the alert at all times.

McGoorty Rules Favorite.

McGoorty rules favorite in the local betting at odds of 10 to 7, but in Milwaukee last night the price was reported as 10 to 6.

McGoorty, Manager Jim Mullen, and a party of the boxer's friends will leave for the battleground this morning at 11:30 o'clock. That Eddie will make the weight without trouble is shown by the fact that he will not have to dry out to make the required poundage. Tommy Walsh, manager of Joe Mandot, will look after McGoorty's corner. Eddie will return to Chicago after the contest to resume training for pending matches.

Jimmy Clabby, who is matched to box ten rounds with Mike Gibbons, went through another strenuous workout yesterday at Bernstein's gymnasium, where he boxed six rounds with three different opponents. Willie Schaeffer, the local welterweight; Jack Moran, the light heavyweight, and Joe Welling, a lightweight, were Jimmy's opponents. The bouts were featured by hard, aggressive mixing.

Larney Lichtenstein, manager of Clabby, said he has tentatively closed with New York promoters for Jimmy to meet Al McCoy at the Madison Square Garden during the second week of February.

Boxers Who Clash in Ring Tonight.

EDDIE McGOORTY (TOP) "FIGHTING BILLY" MURRAY

LANGFORD-M'VEY BOUT AT KENOSHA

The first battle between colored fighters in a Wisconsin ring since legalized boxing became effective in the Badger state will be staged by the Badger Athletic club at Kenosha on Jan. 15, when Sam Langford, the Boston "Tar Baby," and Sam McVey will clash over the ten round route. This match was announced last night by George Tully, the Kenosha promoter, who came to Chicago to arrange for the sale of tickets for the bout. Neither Langford nor McVey ever has been seen in action in this section of the country.

The Kenosha promoter arranged this same match more than a month ago, only to find it necessary to call it off because the state boxing commission issued a ruling barring the colored milters. Later, however, the commission let down the bars, making a rule that bouts between colored battlers would be permitted.

This latest ruling enabled Promoter Tully to reopen negotiations with Langford and McVey, with the result that both agreed to battle on Jan. 15. The fighters will contest for 25 per cent of the gate receipts.

Nate Lewis, manager of Charley White, will arrive in Chicago today. Yesterday Nate sent word that White's match with Sammy Robideau, scheduled to take place in Philadelphia on Jan. 16, had been called off. Instead of meeting Robideau, White will step ten rounds with "Young" Lustig before the Broadway Sporting club on Jan. 16.

Lewis also sent word that he had closed a match for George "Knockout" Brown, the local middleweight, to meet Frank Mantell at the Brooklyn club on Jan. 18."

NEW TANK STAR MEETS DEFEAT IN GREAT RACE

McGillivray Breaks Mark to Beat Browne of the Hamilton Club; Sweep for I. A. C.

BY KEENE GARDINER.

Forcing Perry McGillivray of the Illinois A. C., a swimmer of international prominence, to break the Central association indoor one mile record, Clement Browne, the 18 year old representative of the Hamilton club, lost the verdict by a scant three feet in the feature event of the first batch of the Central A. A. U. swimming championships at the tricolor club last night.

Never in the west, and probably not in the country, have two such long distance swimmers been so evenly matched. It took eighty-eight lengths of the sixty foot pool to complete the distance, and they swam stroke for stroke for eighty-four lengths. In making his turn on the eighty-fifth lap Browne slipped when making his push-off. This mishap cost him three feet, and he was unable to make up this handicap during the remainder of the race.

First Race for Browne.

Although McGillivray is deserving of a lot of credit, the lion's share of praise is due the youngster, who was competing in his first event of importance. Although matched against a man who has had a world of experience in all sorts of competition, Browne swam like a veteran.

H. J. Handy, for years recognized as one of the greatest distance swimmers in the world, said it was the greatest mile contest he had ever seen. Dr. White and John Robinson, swimming coaches at the Universities of Chicago and Northwestern, respectively, agreed with Handy's statement and declared it will be a long time before another such race over a long distance will be seen in a local pool.

McGillivray covered the distance in 24:09 4-5. The former mark was 24:32 3-4, held by Handy and made in the tri-color club's tank in 1909. Perry failed to break the American record of 23:40 3-5, held by C. M. Daniels of New York.

Clean Sweep for I. A. C.

The other three championship events on the card also were won by I. A. C. swimmers. Harry Hebner retained his title as world's champion back stroke swimmer, winning the 150 yard event in easy fashion over Pavlicek of the University of Chicago. Harry did not go out for fast time, but negotiated the distance in 1:55. His world's record is 1:49 3-5.

William R. Vosburgh, who came from behind on the last length, won the 100 yard title after M. R. Mott, also of the I. A. C., had set the pace most of the way.

The championship I. A. C. relay team won the 400 yard event by half the length of the tank from the C. A. A. quartet and Northwestern university. Events for club members and novelty contests completed an interesting program.

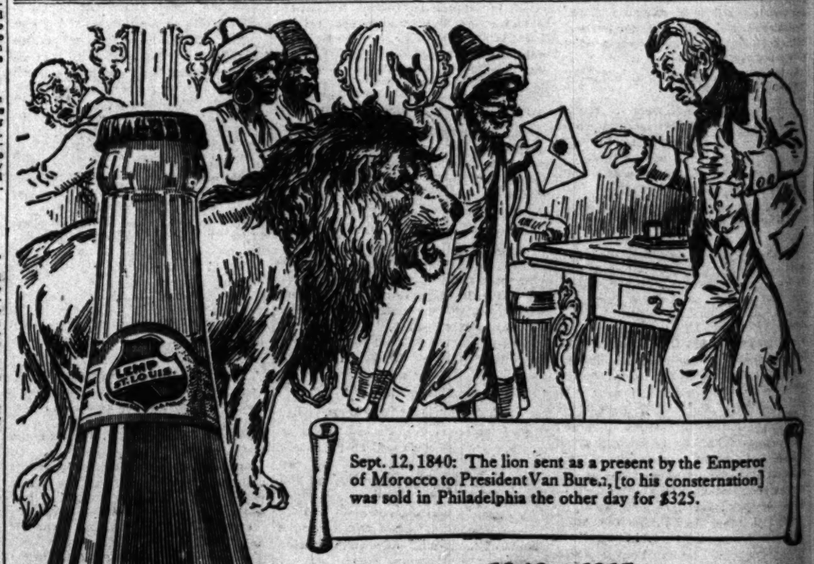
Summary of Events.

One mile swim, championship—Won by P. McGillivray, I. A. C.; Browne, Hamilton club, second. Time, 24:09 4-5. Only two starters.

150 yard back stroke, championship—Won by Hebner, I. A. C.; Pavlicek, University of Chicago, second; Olsen, C. A. A., third. Time, 1:55.

100 yard swim, championship—Won by Vosburgh, I. A. C.; M. Mott, I. A. C., second; Johnson, Northwestern university, third. Time, :58 4-5.

400 yard relay, championship—Won by I. A. C. [Vosburgh, M. Mott, P. McGillivray, Hebner]; C. A. A., second; Northwestern university, third. Time, 3:57.



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WILSON BLAMED FOR DISMISSALS IN POSTOFFICES

President Refuses to Recommend Relief Measure for Aged Employes.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—The action of Assistant Postmaster General Roper in directing postmasters to dismiss superannuated employés, as well as the failure of congress to provide for those employés, is laid directly at the door of the White House by representatives of federal employés organizations who are stationed in Washington.

There are pending in congress at the present time a half dozen retirement measures. The Democratic leaders say, however, they will not permit action on any one of these until President Wilson urges it. They are preventing action notwithstanding the fact that millions of voters have petitioned congress to pass some sort of an adequate retirement measure at the present session.

Chicago Action Arouses Sentiment.

The dismissal of a number of aged employés of the Chicago postoffice within the last few weeks has brought the matter of caring for the old men in the service directly before the public.

Prior to the Chicago dismissals, Assistant Postmaster General Roper served notice on all postmasters throughout the country to discharge all employés who had become inefficient because of age. The first official to carry out this order was Postmaster Praeger of Washington.

Wilson Ignores Protests.

Although he had previously announced that the turning adrift of these old employés would be inhuman, President Wilson has steadily refused to pay any attention to the protests which have been received at the White House with respect to the dismissals.

The president has declined to recommend any legislation at this session of congress for the relief of the aged employés. This means that there will be no relief for at least eighteen months, if then, unless the president changes his mind.

Figure on Relief Measure.

Experts figure it would require an appropriation of between $3,000,000 and $8,000,000 annually to take care of the retirement situation without forcing the employés to contribute. Contributory schemes are dependent largely upon the related propositions of insurance, savings, increment, and the like, and each contributory bill now in congress would call for a larger appropriation than the straight pension measures, according to the advocates of the latter.

Salaries Not Reclassified.

Conditions with respect to the retirement of the aged are not altogether due to the failure of congress to provide a proper pension scheme, but more to the failure to reclassify the salaries of the employés throughout the country so as to meet the increased cost of living.

In the postal service the employés are working on a salary scale which is 30 years old. Within the last ten years the salaries of the president, congressmen, and senators, cabinet officers, and the federal judiciary have been increased 50 per cent to meet the increased cost of living.

No Differentiation Between Cities.

Likewise there is no differentiation between the cost of living and the remuneration of employés in cities like Chicago and Peoria, or New York and Auburn. The salaries are based upon the standing of the postoffice, the postoffice standing in turn being based on receipts of the office.

At the present time there are between 6,000 and 7,000 employés who are at the retirement age or subject to discharge. Less than a thousand men, it is estimated, would be added to the retirement list annually if a pension system were adopted.

PROFIT SHARING PLAN URGED AT RATE HEARING.

The generosity of Henry Ford, automobile manufacturer, in sharing his profits with his employés was emphasized at the wage arbitration hearing yesterday as a lesson for modern captains of industry. W. Gett Lauck, questioned by Vice President E. E. Byram of the Burlington railroad, regarding the proper share due switchmen on the theory of awarding productive efficiency, answered that it was his belief that all the employés in an industry should receive a certain benefit.

Mr. Lauck claimed that engineers and firemen probably are entitled to more recognition because of their considerable personal contribution to the prosperity of their employers.

"Isn't it a fact that the Pennsylvania railroad in the eastern wage arbitration hearing admitted that it had expended $150,000,000 in the New York terminal and that it was not a productive investment?" asked Grand Chief Engineer Stone.

"I believe that is true," answered Mr. Lauck.

COUPLE'S WILLS JUST ALIKE.

Wills of a husband and wife, made the same day, bearing the names of the same witnesses, and bequeathing their estates to each other were approved and admitted to probate by I. F. Dankowski, assistant to Probate Judge Horner, yesterday.

Mrs. Frances A. Lyman of Oak Park gives her $10,450 estate to her husband, Edson W. Lyman. She died Nov. 22, 1914. Less than a month later he died. In his will he bequeaths his estate, valued at $25,000, to her.

According to both documents, the estates will go to Mrs. Winifred L. Worthington of 403 North Oak Park avenue, Oak Park, and Mrs. Edna L. Scott of Seattle, Wash., daughters of the testators.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

SENATE.

Met at 11 a. m. The treasury department order suspending publication of manifests of vessels for thirty days was debated. Began debate on government ship purchase bill. Took up District of Columbia appropriation bill. Considered nominations in executive session. Adjourned at 5:34 p. m. to noon Friday.

HOUSE.

Met at noon. Rejected African exclusion and Panama exemption amendments to the immigration bill, and sent measure to conference. Adjourned at 4:36 p. m. to 12 m. Friday.

FLATS FIGURE IN REALTY MARKET

Twelve Apartment Building on North Shore Avenue Changes Hands.

ALBANY AVENUE SALE.

Several interesting transactions in apartment house property figured in yesterday's real estate market developments, one covering the twelve apartment building on North Shore avenue, 141 feet east of Clark street. The building occupies a lot with a north frontage of 80 feet, with a depth of 125 feet, and the apartments contain four and five rooms.

The building has a reported annual rent of about $6,000. It first was conveyed by James T. Jarrell to Oliver H. Paisley, a nominal consideration being given, but revenue stamps to the amount of $22.50, together with an incumbrance of $30,000, indicate a consideration of $53,100.

The property subsequently was conveyed by Mr. Paisley to Nathan W. MacChesney, the attorney, at the same consideration as in the first transfer.

Leland Avenue Deal.

Another transaction made a matter of record was the transfer by Thomas Conran, the builder, to George H. Hollingsworth and others of the property at the northeast corner of Albany and Leland avenues, lot 89½x125 feet, improved with an eighteen apartment building.

A consideration of $1 is given in the transfer, but revenue stamps to the amount of $7.50, together with the incumbrance of $49,000, indicate a consideration of $56,500.

Record also was made of the sale by Harry C. Edmonds too Kittle Runions and Herman Seiz of Seiz & Gedalia, real estate dealers, of the 200x111 feet of vacant, west front, on Stony Island avenue, 75 feet north of Sixty-eighth street.

Each of the grantees takes an undivided half interest, and, while a nominal consideration is given in the transfer, the $25 of revenue stamps on the document indicates a consideration of $25,000.

The grantees also acquired 100 feet of frontage on the opposite side of the street for a reported consideration of $12,500, and it is stated that the purchasers plan the improvement of 100 feet of the property with a store and flat building.

New Hyde Park Flats.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bertha has begun the erection of another high grade three apartment building at 5121-23 University avenue on 50x164 feet of ground, which she has purchased from Harry Wilkinson for an indicated consideration of $8,000. The building will cost about $30,000 and the apartments are expected to rent at from $150 to $175 a month. J. E. Bistor of W. K. Young & Bro. negotiated the deal.

Baird & Warner have sold for Col. Samuel P. Colt of New York City to Max Raskin and others the property at the southeast corner of West Division street and Francisco avenue, opposite Humboldt park, at the reported rate of $100 a front foot. It is announced that a high grade apartment building will be erected on the lot in the spring.

Monroe Avenue Transaction.

The property at the northwest corner of Fifty-fourth street and Monroe avenue, lot 50x125 feet, improved with a two story building containing two stores and two stove heated flats, has been conveyed at a valuation of $12,500 by Thomas Roche to Alvena E. Zulke in part payment for a farm of 104 acres adjoining the city of Hartford, Mich., which is said to have been sold on the basis of $150 an acre. W. B. Meyers & Co. were the brokers.

A tract of seventy-six lots in Harvey Hills & Co.'s subdivision in the territory bounded by Elston, Milwaukee, Maynard, and Mason avenues was conveyed by H. B. Gerken to William P. Stanagee Jr., the revenue stamps indicating a consideration of $23,000. It subsequently was conveyed by Stanage to Forest Hill, subject to an incumbrance of $13,000, the purchasers paying $10,000 for the equity.

Forty Lots Sold.

A tract of forty lots at the southeast corner of Schubert avenue and North Kilbourne avenue, has been sold by M. L. Carriger of Edgerton, Wis., to John E. White for an indicated consideration of $16,000.

Chandler, Hildreth & Co. have leased for Mary A. Streff and Justina Streff, as trustees, to the Original Vienna bakery, the double stores at 2731-33 North Clark street, for fifteen years at a term rent of $46,487, the stores having a combined frontage of fifty feet, with a depth of 110 feet.

The property is near the business center at Diversey parkway, where there has been considerable activity. Both parties were represented by Henry Kreuter of the north side office of Chandler, Hildreth & Co.

E. C. Brownlee has leased for F. R. Barnheisel to the Edward Frieder company the basement under the Advertising building at 119-23 West Madison street for five years and four months, from Jan. 1, at a term rent of $32,000.

J. V. FARWELL CO. REVIEW.

The John V. Farwell company weekly review of the wholesale dry goods trade says:

"Wholesale dry goods business has opened the new year with a noticeable gain in the number of buyers visiting this market—gains being reported for every day during the year. This condition signifies a satisfactory cleanup of stocks during the holidays and confidence in present and future business.

"Last week we stated that we anticipated an advance in standard bleached goods. On Tuesday agents advanced prices of Lonsdale, Hope, and other brand 1¼c a yard. Cotton has recently advanced about 1c a pound. Amoskeag mills have notified the trade that there will be no change from the former price of 6½c at present on amoskeag staple ginghams. Everett mills have also notified the trade that there will be no change for spring. These two announcements are practically the same notices sent out by all New England manufacturers.

"Lines of ladies waists are selling well, with a strong tendency toward Jap silks. Laces, muslin underwear, and other white goods lines are in splendid demand for January white sales. A big increase is noticed in the sale of petticoats owing to the change to fuller styles in top skirts."

Boat's Defects Due to Age.

Judge Cooke in the County court yesterday decided the gospel ship Good Tidings was damaged by reason of its age and not the method of blocking up the craft in the dock of the Wrecker Boat company, as alleged by DeWitt C. Cregier and Herbert Mills, the boat's owners.

Real Estate Transfers.

ROGERS PARK.

Ashland-av., N., 134 s of Albion, w f, 46x134, rev. stamp $4, incumb. $2,500. Dec. 15 [Emil H. Bauch to Chas. Friedrich] ..... $ 10
North Shore-av., 141 e of N. Clark-st., n f, 80x125, rev. stamp $22.50, incumb. $30,000. Jan. 2 [Jas. T. Jarrell to Oliver F. Paisley] .....
Same ppty., rev. stamp $22.50, incumb. $30,000. Jan. 5 [O. F. Paisley to Nathan W. MacChesney] 1
LAKE VIEW.
Carmen-av., 110 w of N. Paulina-st., s f, 55x124, rev. stamp $2.50, incumb. $1,400. Jan. 5 [Ida Peterson to Chas. Kamnider] 10
Claremont-av., N., 166 n of Roscoe-st., e f, 25x124, rev. stamp $1.50. Dec. 16 [Est. Albertine Ladin to Bessie Nelson] 1
Oakdale-av., 317 w of Sheridan-rd., n f, 49 1-2x125, rev. stamp $25, incumb. $10,000. Jan. 6 [Frank F. Schuster to Frank A. Coari] 10
Ravenswood Pk., W., 100 n of Winona-st., e f, 50x152, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $1,600. Jan. 6 10
Summerdale-av., 219 w of N. Ashland, s f, 24x125, rev. stamp $4, incumb. $3,000. Jan. 5 [Chas. Kampfer to John Peterson] 10
Wellington-st., 216 e of Robey, s f, 25x125, rev. stamp $3.50, incumb. $1,300. Jan. 5 [Wilhemina Schener to Jacob P. Foltz] 10
Winchester-av., N., 200 s of Cullom, w f, 50x152½, rev. stamp $5, incumb. $2,000. Jan. 5 [Wilhelmina Scheuer to Rosemond Bauch] 10
Trust deed—Barry-av., s w cor. Hermitage, n f, 115x132. Dec. 24, '14, 5 years, 6 per cent [John A. Rickford to Wm. Volbert, trustee] 45,000
Trust deed—Barry-av., 115 w of Hermitage, s f, 148x132. Dec. 24, '14, 5 years, 6 per cent [John A. Rickford to W. Volbert, trustee] 45,000
JEFFERSON.
California-av., n w cor. W. Bryn Mawr, a tract of land lying between California-av., W. Bryn Mawr-av., Lincoln-av., Peterson-av., and north channel of sanitary district, 1,700x1,500x700x2,700x720, dimensions estimated. Nov. 10 [Wm. A. Peterson to State Bank of Chicago] .....
Albany-av., n e cor. W. Leland, w f, 99.56x125, rev. stamp $7.50, incumb. $49,000. Dec. 30 [Thos. Conran to Geo. H. Hollingsworth et al.] .....
Albany-av., N., n e cor. W. Leland, w f, 99.56x132.54, rev. stamp $6.50. Aug. 1 [C. C. Mitchell to Geo. H. Hotchkiss] .....
Winona-st., 960 e of California-av., s f, 30x151, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $4,500. Jan. 5 [F. Gemmill to E. S. Hoyt] 4,000
Wrightwood-av., 25 W of La Vergne-av., s f, 25x125, rev. stamp $2, incumb. $1,700. Dec. 24 [Macie] Potocki to John Krol] 2,500
Keating-av., 74 n of School-st., e f, 75x150, rev. stamp $1. Jan. 5 [Anton Meri to Anna N. Meri] 1,000
W. Belmont-av., s w cor Kenneth, s f, 50x125, rev. stamp $5, incumb. $3,5.0. Dec. 4 [Julia Taken to William H. Barry] .....
Oak Park-av., 51 s of Cornelia, e f, 60x124, Sept. 7, 1911 [The Hibernian Banking Assn., trustee, to Hilda Hoegenson] 10
W. Montrose-av., 55 w of Springfield, s f, 25x134, Aug. 19 [Jan Maserek to Julia M. Bobcik] .....
W. Montrose-av., 55 w of Springfield, s f, 25x134, rev. stamp $2, Jan. 4 [Michael Bilicki to Siegmund Bilicki] 2,000
Whipple-st., 150 s of Roscoe, e f, 50x125, rev. stamp $2.50, Jan. 3 [Anna Oeschger to F. Hugo Beyer] .....
W. Belmont-av., 34 w of Monticello, n f, 31½x125, rev. stamp $1. Dec. 22 [Albert Haentze to Fort Dearborn T. & S. bank] 10
W. Giddings-st., 120 w of N. Washtenaw-av., s f, 40x125, rev. stamp $2. Jan. 5 [Fred L. Fisher to Nellie Neal] .....
Christiania-av., 147 n of Wellington-st., e f, 25x128, rev. stamp $2, incumb. $1,250. Dec. 31 [Christine Eberle to Wladyslawa Klaczynski] .....
Central Park-av., 176 n of Wolfram-st., w f, 50x125, incumb. $900. Oct. 30 [Marian Durski to Szyman Rosol] .....
Oakdale-av., 162 e of N. Kostner, s f, 50x125, rev. stamp $3. Jan. 2 [J. Frank Longbotham to L. M. Suter] .....
Hamlin-av., N., 325 s of Milwaukee, w f, 25x100, rev. stamp $1. June 9, 1912 [Albert Haentze to Joseph Kowacski] .....
Hamlin-av., N., 327 s w of Milwaukee, w f, 25x103, rev. stamp $2.50, incumb. $2,500. June 15, 1913 [Albert Haentze to Josef Kowacski] .....
Schubert-av., e f, 67½ ft. N. 86 s of Schubert-av., e f, 50x125, rev. stamp 50c, Sept. 14 [Julia A. Steele to Morris Lieberman] .....
Hamlin-av., 203 n of North, e f, 25x125, rev. stamp $3, incumb. $2,500. Jan. 4 [Charles W. Anderson to Peter W. Klein] 2,800
NORTH TOWN.
Vine-st., 100 s of Willow, w f, 26x96, rev. stamp $2. Dec. 24 [Magdalena Walter et al. to Wade H. Cutting] .....
Wells-st., N., 68 n of Whiting, w f, 20x100, rev. stamp $3.50. Dec. 31 [Jacob C. Wolf et al. to Charles F. Beck] .....
Same property, rev. stamp $3.50. Dec. 31 [Charles F. Beck to The Ilg Electric Ventilating Co.] .....
Seminole-st., 143 n of Lincoln-av., e f, 25 to alley, rev. stamp $10. Dec. 31 [P. Spelz quitclaims to Axel B. Johnson] .....
SOUTH TOWN.
Parnell-av., 175 s of 35th-st., e f, 25x124, Dec. 30 [D. J. Burke quitclaims to Pronce Matusas] .....
Parnell-av., 175 s of 35th-st., e f, 25x124, Dec. 30 [Frank Matusas quitclaims to David J. Burke] .....
Calumet-av., 130 s of 36th-st., e f, 24x125, rev. stamp $2.00. Incumb. $2,000. Jan. 4 [F. H. Bartlett to John Hogan] .....
Ellis-av., 150 s e of 35th-st., e f, 20x125, Aug. 21, 1905 [Wm. R. Angell quitclaims to Union Mutual Life Insurance Co.] .....
HYDE PARK.
Commercial-av., 8758, e f, 95x138½, rev. stamp 50 cents, Jan. 6 [E. D. Buell, as trustee in bankruptcy, Isaac Gassman, bankrupt, quitclaims to Tobias Gassman] .....
Corliss-av., n w cor E. 105th-st., e f, 50x125, rev. stamp 50 cents, Jan. 4 [M. Kersting to Louis P. Hurter] .....
Carondelet-av., s e cor 125th-st., w f, 50x131½, Oct. 22 [Henry F. Klinge to Mary Walenga] .....
Indiana-av., n e cor E. 63d-st., w f, 25x125, rev. stamp $1.00. Nov. 14 [Wm. D. McKey to Sylvester Fisher] .....
Michigan-av., 841 n of 41st-st., e f, 66x175, rev. stamp $7.50. Dec. 31 [John C. Robinson to Wm. Ashton] .....
41st-pl., 86 w of St. Lawrence-av., n f, 25x125, rev. stamp 50 cents, Jan. 4 [Catrines De Haan to Donat Zdanowicz] .....
Paxton-av., 175 n of 125th-st., e f, 75x124, rev. stamp $1.60, Dec. 14 [Est. John Grejewicz to Teresa Grejewicz] .....
Paxton-av., n e cor. 69th-st., w f, 70x180, rev. stamp $4, incumb. $2,500. Dec. 16 [Frank J. Naas to John F. Kenna] .....
Prairie-av., n w cor. E. 68th-st., e f, 32x125, rev. stamp $1, Nov. 14 [William D. McKey to Sylvester Fisher] .....
74th-pl., E. 75 e of South Shore-av., n f, 50x102, Jan. 5 [A. G. Ingraham quitclaims to George F. Hicks] .....
74th-pl., E., n e cor. South Shore-av., s e f, 50x102½, rev. stamp $1, Dec. 19 [Estate Simon F. Poorbaugh to Henry H. Parrott] .....
74th-pl., E., s e cor. South Shore-av., n e f, 100x102½, rev. stamp $1, Dec. 19 [Estate Simon F. Poorbaugh to Julia M. Babel] .....
Stony Island-av., 160 s of E. 68th-st., w f, 50x111, rev. stamp $5, Dec. 14 [Harry G. Edmonds to Martha A. Keefer] .....
Stony Island-av., 75 n of E. 68th-st., w f, 25x111, rev. stamp $28, Dec. 3 [Harry G. Edmonds to Kittle Runions and Herman Seiz, each an und. ½ int.] .....
67th-st., E., 100 e of Madison-av., n f, 50x115, rev. stamp $2.50, incumb. $2,700. Jan. 5 [David Rosenheim to Thomas A. Harrison] .....
University-av., 229 n of 63d-st., w f, 50x164, Jan. 5 [Harry Wilkinson to Elizabeth Bertha] .....
Vernon-av., 49 s of Tier-st., w f, 25x125, rev. stamp $2.00. Incumb. $3,800. Jan. 2 [Murray Walbach to Mary A. McKillop et al.] .....
Wabash-av., 125 n of 71st-st., e f, 25x150, rev. stamp $2. Jan. 5 [A. D. Hedges to John Lyons] .....
LAKE.
Aberdeen-st., 216 n w of 87th, e f, 25x125, rev. stamp $8. Jan. 4 [Joseph McCarthy to Catherine Cunningham] .....
Aslewood-av., 219 e of S. Halsted-st., s f, 21½x125, rev. stamp $3.50. Jan. 6 [James Rouhan to Ellen Gray] .....
Emerald-av., 25 s of 41st-st., e f, 150x116, and e. p. same blk., Aug. 18 [John W. Sweeney quitclaims to the Independent Packing Co.] .....
S. 43d-av., n w cor W. 42d-st., s f, 60x135, Nov. 6 [State Bank of Chicago to Patrick Murphy] .....
S. 47th-av., 169 s of W. 42d-st., e f, 56x135, rev. stamp 50c, Jan. 5 [C. T. & T. Co., Jr., to Elizabeth Doyle] .....
47th-st., 42 w of Butler, s f, 42x33½, Nov. 19 [George F. Slater et al., by M. C. to Herman W. Freise] .....
S. Marshfield-av., 171 n w of 48th-st., w f, 25x121, rev. stamp $2, Nov. 19 [Carl Helwig to Tomasz Topolewski] .....
Rockwell-st., 89 n of W. 62d, e f, 30x130, rev. stamp $3.50, incumb. $4,000. Dec. 21 [Beatrice Bell to John Bain et al.] .....
Sawyer-av., 216 s of W. 55th-st., e f, 80x124, rev. stamp $1. Jan. 4 [H. M. Ellitwood to John L. Bedington] .....
W. 73d-pl., 58 w of Loomis-st., n f, 20x124, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $1,600. Dec. 28 [William Krukman to Jason Groeteseen] .....
Throop-st., 223 s of W. 71th, e f, 23 1-2x175, rev. stamp $1. Jan. 2 [Andrew Vander Wagen to Esther M. Leyden et al.] .....
CALUMET.
Rober-st., S., 144 n of W. 96th, w f, 50x181, rev. stamp $1, Dec. 31 [Edward Howard to William C. Ellis] .....
Princeton-av., 222 n of W. 119th-st., w f, 50x124, rev. stamp $2, incumb. $1,300. Dec. 16 [Mary Lensen to Edward Lambrecht] .....
Eggleston-av., 186 n. e of W. 117th-st., w f, 50x124, incumb. $1,025. Aug. 17 [George B. Q. Johnson to John Olson] .....
Blue Island, lot 229 and e. p., 6, 24, 14, Dec. 30 [North Shore Electric Co. quitclaims to Public Service Co. of Northern Illinois] .....
WEST TOWN.
Maplewood-av., s e cor. Greenfield-st., w f, 81.46x125, rev. stamp 50c, Jan. 5 [Joseph Winterbotham to John Shanley] .....
Same ppty., rev. stamp $2.50. Jan. 5 [Herman Wisherski to Anna Geschger] .....
Armitage-av., 45 w of N. Richmond-st., s f, 20x100, rev. stamp $1.50, Jan. 5 [John F. Keeley to Max Kleiper] .....
Lubeck-st., 144 w of N. Leavitt, s f, 24x100, Dec. 26 [Chas. Carlson, und. ¼ int., to Wm. Ribenfeld] .....
Same ppty., rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 28 [Roselle Trigg, und. ¼ int., to Wm. Ribenfeld] .....
Same ppty., rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 28 [Lillie F. Elberfeld, und. ¼ int., to Charles Carlson] .....
Elston-av., 222 s w of W. Division-st., w f, 55x168, rev. stamp $2, incumb. $1,400. Dec. 30 [Paulin Wiersbowski to Agneszka Hadam] .....
Dickson-st., 1387 w of Ashland-av., s f, 24x125, rev. stamp $1. Jan. 4 [John Katowski et al. to Peter Blaskowski] .....
Holt-st., 50 s of Carroll-av., e f, 22x100, rev. stamp $3. Jan. 5 [John Rydwelski to John Rydwelski] .....
Chicago-av., W., 284 s of N. Hoyne-av., s f, 48x122, rev. stamp $3.50, incumb. $4,904. Jan. 5 [Yaita Wolf to Frederick Maas] .....
Newton-st., 276 n of Augusta, w f, 25x125, rev. stamp $3, incumb. $1,600. Dec. 30 [Jan Kravlec to John Derengowski] .....
Division-st., 48 w of N. Hoyne-av., n f, 24x121, Jan. 5 [Michael Goldstein, und. 5/6 int., to Sam Boshes] .....
Augusta-av., 25 w of N. Hermitage-av., s f, 25x111, rev. stamp $3, incumb. $1,800. Jan. 5 [Josef Syrwulec to Jacob Zolads] .....
Le Moyne-av., s e cor N. Homan, w f, 25x124, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $1,900. Jan. 4 [M. J. Kearney to Edward E. Kearney] .....
Artesian-av., N., 25 s of Hirsch-st., s f, 25x126, rev. stamp $2, incumb. $2,140. Jan. 4 [Hyman Nianick et al. to Jacob Wolf] .....
Sacramento-av., N., 123 s of Augusta-st., w f, 25x127, rev. stamp $2.50, Dec. 17 [Henry Roos Sr. to Chas. J. Gutenkauf] .....
Francisco-st., N., 50 s of Cortez, e f, 25x128, May 5 [Est. Johanna Metzinger to Rudolph Mundt] .....
Rockwell-st., N., 175 s of Potomac-av., e f, 25x128, rev. stamp $1.50, Jan. 4 [Ben Horwitz et. al. to Jacob Zelomersky] .....
California-av., N., 174 s of Cornelia-st., e f, 25x126, Nov. 3 [S. A. Bird to Anna Bird] .....
Campbell-av., N., 90 n of Thomas-st., w f, 30x70 m. or less, rev. stamp $2, incumb. $1,000. Dec. 19 [Minna Fregin to Leo Kaplan] .....
Campbell-av., N., 90 n of Thomas-st., w f, 30x60 m. or less rev. stamp 50c, incumb. $2,000 Jan. 2 [Leo Kaplan und. ½ int to Nathan Warner] .....
Avers-av., N., 225 s of Thomas-st., e f, 25x126, July 7, 1913 [Thos. J. Dixon to Gustaf A. Johnson] .....
Springfield-av., 125 n of Augusta-st., w f, 100x125, rev. stamp $4, Jan. 4 [Bertha Malkan to Henry Schrift] .....
Lawndale-av., N., 144 n of Potomac-av., e f, 48x194, rev. stamp $4.50, incumb. $2,000. Jan. 4 [Maria Pearson to Cecelia Erickson] .....
Harrison-st., W., 77 w of Francisco-av., s f, 25x154, rev. stamp $4.40, Jan. 5 [Frances G. Dalton to Wm. J. Ahern] .....
Douglas-blvd., 72 s of Turner-av., s f, 48x107, rev. stamp $16, incumb. $11,000. Jan. 5 [Irene Burgraeve to Alexander Hirsch] .....
Avers-av., S., 110 s of W. 16th-st., w f, 21½x116, rev. stamp $5, incumb. $19,740. Jan. 2 [Max Kleper to Jacob Glassman et al.] .....
Maxwell-st., 275 e of Union, n f, 25x100, rev. stamp $3, incumb. $2,000. Dec. 21 [Meyer Semons to Ben Sonenblick et al.] .....
Racine-av., S., 280 s of Polk-st., w f, 24x100, rev. stamp $5, Dec. 1 [Geo. Carroso to Tony Carracio] .....
Winchester-av., 207 n of Taylor-st., w f, 25x125, rev. stamp $2, incumb. $4,500. Jan. 5 [Antonio Sofia to Antonio Cosal] .....
May-st., 126 n of Erie, w f, 20x125, rev. stamp $1. Incumb. $4,800. Jan. 4 [Josef Sowa to Jadwiga Konsla] .....
Erie-st., W., 144 s of Lincoln, s f, 21x123, Jan. 4 [Chas. J. Williams et al. quitclaim to Thos. S. Williams et al.] .....
Centennial-pl., 192 w of Ashland-av., s f, 24x70 rev. stamp $1. incumb. $1,600. Jan. 4 [Stanley Kopala to Albert G. Tadelski] .....
Warren-av., n f, 24x124, Oct. 3, 1906 [Claude R. Egan to Ferdinand Ell et al.] .....
Warren-av., 50 w of Oakley, s f, 20x124, Oct. 1, 1910 [Ida C. Compton to Ferdinand H. C. Ell] .....
Warren-av., 80 e of Washtenaw-av., s f, 25x128, rev. stamp $2.00, Dec. 21 [Nellie C. Bryan to Harry J. Hickey] .....
Warren-av., n w cor California-av., s f, 24x122, rev. stamp $2.50, Dec. 19 [Chas. N. Wond to Joseph F. Cruise] .....
Homan-av., 192 n of W. Ohio-st., w f, 26x125, rev. stamp $6.50, Jan. 3 [B. Mann to Peter B. Neeley Co.] .....
Chicago-ter., s w cor Harding-av., n f, 24x75 more or less, rev. stamp $3.00, Jan. 4 [Henry Wichmann to Wm. Wichmann] .....
Franklin-blvd., 108 w of Homan-av., s f, 25x150, rev. stamp $3.00, Dec. 30 [Morris Novitsky to Wm. J. Owens] .....
40th-av., 191 s of W. 16th-st., w f, 25x125, rev. stamp 50 cents, Dec. 1 [A. G. Ellis to John T. Sutor] .....
Monroe-st., 486 s of Lotus-av., s f, 82x124, rev. stamp $1.60, Jan. 5 [Carl H. Hohlfeld to Thos. J. Duffy] .....
Ohio-st., 125 w of La Verne-av., s f, 25x125, rev. stamp $1.00, incumb. $900. Jan. 4 [Eleanor Kelly to Joseph Jones] .....
La Crosse-av., s e cor Fulton-st., w f, 40x125, rev. stamp $2.50, incumb. $6,700. Jan. 5 [Mary Usialis to Anna Jaskis] .....
Cicero-av., n e cor Van Buren-st., w f, 82x100, rev. stamp $12 60. Jan. 4 [Alex Belfeld et al. to Irene Burrgraeve] .....
BIRMENT.
Luchtmeyer's sub., lot 15, sub part lot 9, 2 36, 13, rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 13 [H. E. Robbins to E. F. Collins] .....
Township 38, pt n e ¼ 12, 36, 13, rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 28 [James Sebela to John Svator] .....
CICERO.
Austin, J. Johnston Jr.'s add., part lot 2, block 4, rev. stamp $1, Dec. 21 [Elizabeth Tyson to Carl Nilson] .....
Austin, J. Johnson Jr.'s add., part lot 2, block 4, rev. stamp $1, Dec. 21 [Elizabeth Tyson to Emil Carlson] .....
Austin, J. Johnston Jr.'s add., part lot 2, block 4, rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 21 [The village of Oak Park quitclaims to Elizabeth Tyson] .....
Austin, J. Johnston Jr.'s add., part lot 2, block 4, rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 16 [William Young quitclaims to Elizabeth Tyson] .....
Central sub., part lot 29, s w ¼ 7, 39, 13, Oct. 15 [Augusta A. C. Meyer et al., by M. C., to Frances L. Miller] .....
Cummins' sub., lot 144, et n e ¼ 31, 13, Sept. 29 [George Horton to Joseph S. Maltas] .....
Greendale, lot 19, block 4, 17, 39, 14, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $1,600, Dec. [Minna C. Scheurmann to E. H. Deiter] .....
Kaiser & Co. Arcadia Park, lots 6 and 9, block 6, rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 12 [Otto Ruster to Michael J. Kremper] .....
Kaiser & Co. Arcadia Park, lots 6 and 7, block 6, rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 12 [Otto Ruster to Andrew Kremper] .....
Mandell & H. sub., sub lot 3, e ¼ 36-31-13, rev. stamp $1, Dec. 18 [John Wildman to Adolph J. Schinagl] .....
Morton Park, lot 27 and pt lot 28, blk. 4 [Thos. Hrodej to August F. Sobotka] .....
Oak Park, Reynolds' Columbian add., lots 43 and 44, blk. 15, rev. stamp $2.50, incumb. $1,800, Jan. 5 [Emma M. Ede to Samuel H. Jones] .....
Oak Park, Fraser's Court add., lot 15, Oct. 15 [Augusta A. C. Mayer et al. by M. in C. to Wm. W. Thompson] .....
Twp. 39, pt lot 5, blk. 4, sub blk. 4 and e ½ n e ¼, 29 31-13, Aug. 22, 1913 [C. A. Cummings to Josef Holy] .....
Twp. 39, lots 16 and 17, blk. 3, sub blk. 3, etc., rev., stamp $1, Jan. 4 [C. T. & T. Co. to Frank Pous et al.] .....
Warren Park, Bond's add., lot 4, resub., lots 11 to 17, blk. 1, rev. stamp $1.50, incumb. $1,000, Jan. 3 [Frank Krier Jr. to Frank Krier Sr.] .....
LEYDEN.
Ellsworth 2d add., lots 4 and 5, blk. 15, rev. stamp $1.50, Jan. 2 [Ella B. Shilrock to Julius De Cock] .....
LYONS.
Cir. Ct. com., pt lot 1, n e ¼, 24-38-12, rev. stamp $4, Jan. 5 [John P. Zengelman to Chas. M. Hasker] .....
La Grange, Leiter's 2d add., lot 14, blk. 13, rev. stamp $1, Dec. 23 [Rose M. Simpson to Matilda Nordin] .....
Riverside Acres Stone Co., 5th add., lot 90, rev. stamp 50c, Dec. 8 [Henry Stoffort to Edward Metzer] .....
Summit, Argo 2d add., lot 27, blk. 9, Oct. 27 [F. L. Knoedler to Mike Kaiser] .....
NEW TRIER.
County Clks.' div., lot 1, block 10, s w ¼ 17, 42, 13, incumb. $4,500, Aug. 4, 1913 [E. B. Burling to Helen Burling] .....
Glencoe Golf's resub., part lot 4, rev. stamp $5, Jan. 2 [E. B. Clover to Benjamin F. Pinkerton] .....
Wilmette, McDaniel's add., lot 1, block 5, rev. stamp $1, Jan. 2 [Hoyt King to Michael Kirby et al.] .....
Wilmette, Strauch's add., lots 19 and 22, block 2, rev. stamp 50 cents, Dec. 19 [Paul W. Walter to George F. Stefens] .....
NILES.
C. C. sub., Morton Grove, lots 2 and 3, block 2, rev. stamp 50 cents, Jan. 4 [Lillian G. Kolb to Herbert S. Scharenberg] .....
Bingham & Morton Grove sub., lot 213, block 2, Jan. 6 [H. S. Scharenberg to Henry Fink] .....
Township 41, lot 3, sublot 23, chain, part s w ¼ 18 and part n w ¼ 19, 41, 12, rev. stamp 99, Dec. 8 [Henry Fink to Verone Bauer] .....
PROVISO.
Kensington add., lot 7, block 9, rev. stamp 50 cents, Dec. 18 [Emma V. Waters to Charles Ramsey] .....
Madison-st., sub., lots 202 and 206, Jan. 6 [Samuel Goldberg to Sam Burstien] .....
Cummings & Co. Madison-st. add., part lot 105 and lot 106, rev. stamp $4, incumb. $2,000, Dec. 30 [Rudolf Burkart to Frank H. Stelle] .....
RIDGEVILLE.
Evanston village, w ½ lot 16, block 66, rev. stamp $5, Dec. 27 [James F. Meagher quitclaims to Public Service Co. of Northern Illinois] .....
Evanston, Morfoie add., part

BUSINESS, COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL SECTION

SWIFT & CO. SET RECORD IN SALES

Gross for the Year Ending Sept. 26, 1914, Amounts to $425,000,000.

PROFITS ALSO ADVANCE.

Gross sales of Swift & Co. for the company's fiscal year ended Sept. 26, 1914, were $425,000,000, against $400,000,000 the previous year. The business was the largest in the history of the company. The showing in the matter of sales was even better than the figures alone indicate, since the previous high mark in 1913 was made largely because of the absorption of National Packing company plants.

On the gross sales of 1914 the profits were equal to 2 1-5 cents on the dollar. The previous year the profits were 2¼ cents on the dollar. The profits per pound of live stock purchased in 1914 was ¾ cent.

Earnings applicable to dividends on the company's $75,000,000 capital were 12.6 per cent, as against 12.33 per cent in 1913.

Comparative Financial Statement.

The statement of profits and the balance sheet for the last two fiscal years make the following exhibit:

	Sept. 26, 1914.	Sept. 27, 1913.
Net profits	$ 9,450,000	$ 9,250,000
Dividends, 7 per cent.	5,250,000	5,250,000
Surplus for year	$ 4,200,000	$ 4,000,000
Previous surplus	38,000,000	29,000,000
Surplus forward	$ 37,500,000	$ 33,000,000

BALANCE SHEET—ASSETS.

Cash	$ 8,679,199	$ 8,673,505
Accounts receivable	45,829,008	47,880,866
Inventory	47,829,776	42,206,784
Stocks and bonds	25,462,091	32,417,294
Real estate, including branch houses	50,434,306	47,054,129
Totals	$187,604,373	$178,114,080

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 75,000,000	$ 75,000,000
Surplus	37,500,000	33,000,000
Reserves	5,800,062	5,845,720
First mortgage 5 per cent bonds	10,000,000	5,000,000
Bills payable	39,358,870	39,160,400
Accounts payable	16,619,001	19,092,960
Accrued dividend and bond interest	1,437,500	1,375,000
Totals	$187,604,373	$178,114,080

Comment by Louis F. Swift.

The annual meeting of the company was held at the stockyards yesterday afternoon. In his talk to the shareholders President Louis F. Swift said, among other things:

"I will say that the three months—October, November, and December—that have passed since the close of our fiscal year proved to us that our business is on a very good basis, both as to volume and profit, and I anticipate a showing for the coming year that will be highly satisfactory to you.

"Notwithstanding the serious shortage in the receipts of live stock in the early part of 1914, Swift & Co. have been able by the development of other lines to maintain their volume for the year at a total of more than 2,000,000 tons of meat and by-products."

The election of directors and officers resulted as follows:

President, L. F. Swift; vice presidents, Edward F. Swift, Charles H. Swift; treasurer, L. A. Carton; secretary, F. S. Hayward; assistant secretary, W. A. Peacock; assistant treasurer, W. W. Sherman.

Directors—Louis F. Swift, Edward F. Swift, Lewis L. Clarke, L. A. Carton, L. B. Brainerd, Charles H. Swift, and D. M. Anthony.

Financing of Last Year.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders in January, 1914, there was authorized an issue of $50,000,000 first mortgage 5 per cent thirty year sinking fund bonds, of which $35,000,000 were to be issued for corporate purposes of the company on property then owned, and the remaining $15,000,000 to be issued for 75 per cent of the cost of additional real property. Bonds to the extent of $10,000,000 were subscribed for by share and bond holders. The remaining balance was taken by the banks.

The annual report shows that in 1905 the capital stock was $35,000,000 and the number of shareholders over 6,000. In 1914 the capital stock was $75,000,000 and the number of shareholders over 21,000.

Chicago "L" Traffic.

Passenger traffic of the Chicago Elevated railways for the year 1914 showed a small increase over the previous year. The best gains were made prior to October and November. In the last three months of the year the gains were all practically lost. The business in parts of the year 1913 was the poorest in the history of the company. Instead of improving the traffic was constantly falling off. When the through route service was inaugurated there followed a checking of the losses, but the total volume of business is not up to several years ago.

Those Argentine Notes.

The $15,000,000 one to three year Argentine notes were readily taken by the banks. However, in subscribing so freely for the issue the banks of this country were mainly following the judgment of London bankers. The authorized issue of the notes or bonds was $50,000,000. There had been disposed of in London $25,000,000 of the issue when the war came on. Then London banking interests were unable to further finance outside propositions. The New York bankers, in consequence, got the next $15,000,000 offered by the Argentine government.

Change in Steel Orders.

December steel orders taken by the United States Steel corporation averaged 50,000 tons a day, and so far in January have amounted to 25,000 tons a day. As the mills worked only at 30 per cent capacity in December, a heavy increase in unfilled orders are reported.

It is estimated that with the 300,000 tons ordered during December, the first increase since August will be shown by the steel reports. The new buying has come largely from the railroads, as practically every large line is now in the market actively. Manufacturers are also looking for an increase in buying for wire and wire products.

Judging by the recent purchases, steel operations during 1915 will reach 50 per cent of capacity and for the current quarter will amount to 65 per cent despite the unsettled conditions preventing steel shipments. Manufacturers assert that these figures will be boosted if arrangements can be made for unhampered shipping, the details of which are now pending.

Bank Elections.

Directors of the Illinois Trust and Savings bank reelected John J. Mitchell president and other retiring officers.

New officers elected were J. Hugh M. Cook, Garretson and William H. Geddes, assistant cashiers, and H. A. Hall, auditor.

Officers and directors of the Pullman Trust and Savings bank were reelected.

Dividend Declared.

The Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light company declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent on its preferred stock, payable Feb. 1 to stock of record Jan. 20.

Money and Exchange.

Money rates were steady in Chicago at 5@6½ per cent on collateral, 5@5½ per cent on commercial paper, and 5½@6 per cent over the counter. New York exchange sold at 25c discount. Chicago bank clearings were $33,461,845.

Railroad Earnings.

WESTERN PACIFIC.

For November—		Decrease.
Operating revenue	$ 432,979	$138,186
Operating income	59,428	18,869
From July 1—		
Operating revenue	2,689,187	492,096
Net operating revenue	526,025	231,845
Operating income	445,993	271,672

Canadian Pacific.

Wheat tonnage handled by the Canadian Pacific railroad has increased from 30,730,000 bushels in 1904 to 171,952,000 bushels in 1914, according to statistics released by officials yesterday. Flour shipments increased from 5,010,000 to 8,093,000 barrels; lumber from 1,435,758,000 to 3,210,306,000 feet; manufactured products from 3,250,000 to 9,519,000 tons, and miscellaneous freight from 3,894,000 to 9,025,000 tons.

Additional working capital has been raised by selling stock to its stockholders and 17.3 per cent was earned on this increased stock in 1911, 19.5 in 1912 and 1913. The common stock in 1914 earned 13.6 per cent, which, after paying a 10 per cent dividend, left a surplus of $10,606,000 in the treasury. The profit and loss surplus for the fiscal year ending June 30 amounted to $79,711,092, and in addition to this there was a surplus in other assets of $127,253,783, making a total of $206,964,875.

Financial News Notes.

It is announced that all of the $40,000,000 six months and one year 5 per cent notes of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad company, which were offered a short time ago, have been placed.

The New York stock exchange announced that it has established a minimum price of 75 for United States Industrial Alcohol preferred.

Chicago Securities.

Local stocks were moderately active. Swift & Co. shares were firm early, but worked lower at the close. American Can common sold at 28 and series 2 certificates, for a small lot, sold at the same quotation. The market, as a whole, was without features. Bonds were steady.

Sales on the Exchange.

Sales and the range of prices on the Chicago stock exchange yesterday were:

	Shares.	High.	Low.	Jan. 7.	Jan. 6.
Am. Can	200	28	28	28	26½
Am. Pneu. T.	45	52	51	52	50¼
Chi. Ry. ser. 2.	50	28	28	28	25
Com. Edison	100	135	135	135	136
Goodrich Rub.	20	112	112	113	110
M. Ward pfd.	100	120	119¾	120	119¾
Nat. Carbon	140	96	95	96	96
Pub. Ser. pfd.	25	117½	117½	117½	117
Peoples Gas	30	105¾	105¾	105½	105¾
Quak. Oats pfd	25	104½	104½	104½	105½
Sears-Roe	244	109	103¾	105¾	105¼
Swift & Co.	130	145	144½	144½	144¾
Union Carbide				95	

BONDS.

$3,000 Chi. Rys. 1st 5s				95¾
2,000 Chi. City Rys. 5s				97½
3,000 Com. Edison 5s				100¾
5,000 Peoples Gas refund. 5s				90½
2,000 So. Side Elev. 4½s				86
3,000 Ogden Gas 5s				92
800 Swift & Co. 5s				94½

CLOSING PRICES.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Am. Can pfd	93½	94½	Dia. Match	92	95
Booth Fish.	...	35	Hart-fd. pfd.	105	106½
Do pfd.	71	73	K. G. Light.	...	50
Biscuit	120	122	Do pfd.	...	54
Do pfd.	130	133	Pac. Gas.	20	45
Brick	61	63	Pub. Ser.	75	79¼
Carbon pfd.	130	132	Quak. Oats.	230	235
C. E. Ry.	...	20	Shipbldg.	...	29
Do pfd.	...	70	Do pfd.	...	77
Chi. Rys. 1.	88	92	Srs.-R. pfd.	121½	122½
Chi. Rys. 2.	4¾	6¼	Title & Tr.	204	209
Chi. Rys. 4.	2	2¾			

IN FOREIGN STOCK MARKETS.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—Money and discount rates were easy today. The call for over $100,000,000 of the war loan was easily paid. The stock market is gradually settling down to the new conditions and a good business was done today in consols and war loans attracted more attention, prices. Mining shares received more attention, oil issues were again active and dearer, and armament stocks were wanted. Business was moderate in the American section, chiefly in Canadian Pacific, United States Steel, and Union Pacific. Prices were inclined to ease off near the close.

Bar silver, 22¾d per oz. Money, 1 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 2¾ per cent; three months, 2¾ per cent.

The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve decreased	£ 332,000
Circulation decreased	240,000
Bullion decreased	646,117
Other securities increased	2,926,000
Other deposits increased	5,592,000
Public deposits decreased	2,124,000
Note reserve decreased	501,000
Government securities increased	3,000

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liabilities this week is 32.71 per cent; last week it was 34.40 per cent. Rate of discount, 5 per cent.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
Alaska Gold	1,800	27	26½	26½	26¾
Allis-Chal	100	8	8	8	...
Amal. Cop	13,400	54¾	52¾	54¼	52¾
Am. Beet S	1,400	33¾	33¼	33¾	33¼
A. B. Shoe pfd	200	125	124	125	...
Am. Can	2,200	28¾	27	27¾	27¼
Do pfd	1,700	94	92½	93¾	92¼
Am. Car & F	400	45¾	45	45¾	45
Do pfd	100	113	113	113	...
Am. Ch. & L	100	4¾	4¾	4¾	...
Am. Ice Sec	100	21	21	21	...
Am. Linseed O	900	8½	7¾	8¾	7¾
Do pfd	400	25¾	25	25¾	...
Am. Loco	500	24	24	24	...
Am. Smelt	200	70	57½	59	58
Am. Steel F	100	26½	26½	26½	...
Am. Sugar pfd	100	113	113	113	...
Am. Tel. & T	200	117½	117¼	117½	117
Am. Tob	100	220	220	220	220¼
A. Woolen pfd	100	78¾	78¾	78¾	78¼
Anaconda	700	26¼	26	26¼	25¾
Atchison	1,400	94¼	93¾	94¼	94
Atlantic Coast Line	200	99	99	99	98¾
Balt. & Ohio	600	69	68¾	69	68¾
Do pfd	200	69¼	69¼	69¼	69¼
Beth. Steel	10,800	52¾	50¾	52	51
Do pfd	700	97	96	96½	95
Brk. Rap. T	400	86¾	85	85¾	85
Cal. Pet.	100	16¼	16¼	16¼	16¼
Can. Pacific	1,400	156¼	155¾	156¼	155
Cent. Leather	2,800	39	38½	39	38¾
Do pfd	800	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾
C. G. W. pfd	100	28	28	28	...
C. M. & St. P	700	87¼	87	87¼	86¾
Chino	1,100	33½	33	33½	32¾
Colo. Fuel	200	23¼	23	23¼	23¾
Con. Gas	2,600	116½	115	116	115
Corn Prod	3,400	9¼	8½	9	8¾
Do pfd	100	69	69	69	...
Cont. Can	400	43	42	43	...
D. & R. G. pfd	400	6¾	6½	6¾	6¾
D. L. & W.	100	400	400	400	400
Erie	1,900	22¼	21¼	22	22
Do 1st pfd	500	35	34	35	...
Do 2d pfd	100	9¾	9¾	9¾	10
Fed. M. & S.	100	141¼	141¼	141¼	140
Gen. Elec	300	84	83¾	84	84¾
Gen. Motors	400	25½	24½	25¼	25
Goodrich	400	27¾	27½	27¾	27¼
Great No. Ore	800	27¾	27½	27¾	27¼
Great No. pfd	1,000	115¾	114¾	115	114¾
Guggen. Expn	600	46¼	45¾	46¼	...
Inspn. Cop	2,400	18	17¼	18	17¼
Int. H. N. J	200	94¾	94¾	94¾	...
Int. H. Corp	500	73	73	73	...
Int.-Met	300	11¾	11½	11¾	11¾
Do pfd	1,100	61	60¼	61	59½
Kan. C. So	300	22¼	22¼	21¾	22
Lack. Steel	100	28	28	28	...
Lehigh Val	1,100	133½	132	133½	132
Max. Motors	1,800	17¼	15¾	17¼	15¼
Do 1st pfd	1,900	48	44¾	48	44¾
Do 2d pfd	800	19¾	18¼	19¾	18
Missouri Pac	2,500	7½	6¾	7¼	6¾
Mackay Co	70	75			
Do pfd	97	98			
Man. Elev	125	129			
May D. Sts	56	96½			
Do pfd	...	...			
Mex. Nat	¾	1			
Do pfd	3½	7			
Mex. Petrol	53	53			
Do pfd	80	76			
Miami Cop	17½	18			
M. & St. L	...	11			
Do pfd	...	27			
M. St. P. & S. M. pf	...	130			
N. & Chat	...	135			
Nat. Biscu	119	122			
Do pfd	...	122			
Nat. Lead	44	46			
Do pfd	105	106			
N. R. R. of M. 1st pfd	...	23			
Do 2d pfd	4¾	7			
N. Y. A. B.	55	60			
Norf. Sou	...	100			
Norf. & W	99¾	100			
Do pfd	...	88			
N. Amer	67	69			
Pacific Mail	19	21			
Pac. T. & T	25	27			
Do pfd	87	90			
Penn. R. R.	114¾	115¾			
P. & East	34	36			
Peoples Gas	117	117¾			
Pressed Steel Car	19	20			
Do pfd	81	82			
Pullman	...	180			
Ry. Steel Spg.	...	99½			
Ray Cons.	...	15¾			
Reading	600	161¼			
Rep. Iron & S.	300	20			
Do pfd	100	75			
Rock Island	200	¾			
Do pfd	300	1¼			
Rumely	1,000	3¾			
Do pfd	1,100	38			
Sears-Roebuck	200	108¾			
Shat.-Ark. & L.	100	113			
Sinclair Oil	200	23¾			
Sloss-Sheffield	200	55			
South. Pacific	1,200	89¾			
Southern Ry.	200	14½			
Do pfd	100	44¾			
Stand. Milling	800	36½			
Studebaker	900	32¾			
Tenn. Copper	300	135			
Texas Oil	200	37¾			
Third Avenue	200	53¼			
Un. Bag & P.	4,000	118¾			
Union Pacific	200	79¾			
Do pfd	200	94			
U. Ry. In. pfd	100	75			
U. S. Alco. pfd	600	55½			
U. S. Rubber	100	103			
Do 1st pfd	14,000	51½			
U. S. Steel	500	106			
Do pfd	3,500	50			
Utah Copper	400	18			
Va. Chemical	200	80			
Do pfd	900	1½			
Wabash pfd	1,100	14½			
West. Maryld	700	59			
West. Union	2,600	71½			
Wstghse Elec					

Total sales, 157,400 shares.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
United States 2s, reg	97	...
United States 2s, cpn	100¼	...
United States 3s, reg	100¾	102
United States 3s, cpn	100	...
United States 4s, reg	109¼	...
United States 4s, cpn	96½	...
Panama 2s, 1938	...	97

NEW YORK BOND TRANSACTIONS

No. thous.	Last sale.	No. thous.	Last sale.	No. thous.	Last sale.
2 U S govt 2s reg	98½	12 do 4½s	99¾	2 do 3½s	64
10 Rep Cuba 5s	96	134 do cv 4½s	94½	11 N Y Ry 4s	72
5 N Y State 4½s	108½	3 do C & P 5s	102	18 do adj 5s	52¾
1 N Y State 4s, 1958	99¾	6 Chgo Ry 5s	96	10 Nort' & West 4s	92¾
5 N Y Canal 4s	100	2 C R I & P Ry deb 5s	55¾	18 N P 4s	89¾
2 do reg	99½	5 do ry gen 4s	62¾	7 do 3s	62¾
12 Va 6s cts	103½	30 do rr 4s	73	12 O R & N 4s	90½
3 N Y City 4½s, 1963	104¾	54 do cts	22¾	2 O S L 4s	88¾
11 do 4½s, 1960	100	1 C St P M & O 6s	115¾	3 Pac T & T 5s	95¼
7 do 4s, 1957	96¼	1 Colo. Sou 4½s	82½	4 Penna 4½s	100½
2 do 1959	96	480 Cons Gas 6s	111¾	3 do 4s	97
5 do 3½s, 1954, May	85	19 D & H 4s	99¾	26 do 3½s	99¾
2 Allegheny Val 4s	94	5 D & R G ref 5s	99¼	1 Pub Svc N J 5s	104
1 Am Agr 5s	99¼	2 Det Edison 5s	102	1 Ray Cons 6s	93
2 Am Hide 6s	101	1 Det Unt 4½s	66¼	4 Rdg 4s	91½
145 Am T & T cv 4½s	97¼	116 Erie cv 4s B	64	4 Rep Steel 6s	75
20 Armour 4½s	91	3 Gen Elec 5s	104	5 St L I M & P 5s	75
3 Atch 4s	92¾	1 Gen Motor 6s	100¾	2 do cts	65
8 do adj 4s	81¾	9 Gt Nor 4½s	99½	21 S A Line adj 5s	96½
20 do cv 4s	93¼	6 Hud & Man 5s A	75¼	2 S O Bell T & T 5s	85
64 do 1960	86	20 do adj 5s	27¾	26 So Pac 4s	80½
3 A C L L & N 4s	86¾	2 Ind Steel 5s	99¼	21 do cv 4s	96½
2 B & O 4s	84	50 Inspn Copper 6s	98¼	93 do cv 5s	98¾
11 do cv 4½s	88¼	11 do of 1919	73¾	3 S O Ry 5s	63¾
1 do rw 3½s	99	65 Int Met 4½s	98¼	1 do 4s	63¾
19 Beth Steel 1st 5s	99	34 I R T 5s	57	17 Texas Co 6s	79¾
28 do ref 5s	86¼	1 Int Nav 5s	98	5 Third Ave 4s	76¼
2 Brklyn City 5s	100¾	1 Lack Steel 5s, 1915	99¼	28 do adj 5s	94¾
2 B R T 5s	101¾	1 Lac Gas ref 5s	97¾	1 U P 1st 4s	89¼
3 do notes	99	2 L Short 4s, 1931	90½	1 do cv 4s	89
4 B U El 5s	100	10 Lig & M 5s	100½	2 do ref 4s	83½
6 Cent Lea 5s	97¾	1 Lorillard 5s	100¾	1 United of S F 4s	101¾
1 Cen of N J 5s reg	86½	11 L & N 4s	92	1 U S Rubber 6s	100¾
37 Cen Pac 4s	71	1 Mich State Tel 5s	98	40 U S S 5s	100¾
19 C & O cv 4½s	90	6 M St P & S S M 4s	92	4 Va Chem 5s	100¼
10 C & A 3s	89	2 Mo Pac 4s	41¾	9 Va & S W 5s	81
15 C B & Q 4s	81½	1 Mutual Fuel 5s	100	9 Wabash 4s	27
1 do 3½ 3¼s	95½	10 N O M & C 5s	35	60 do cts stamped	27
53 do jt 4s	95¼	11 N Y Cent 4s	86	15 West Elec 5s	101
1 do reg	95¼	2 do M C 3½s	70	2 Westinghouse 5s	90¾
2 C & Erie 1st 5s	103	1 N Y N H 6s	105	2 West Shore 4s	89¾
1 C M & St P 3½s	80¼			Total sales, $2,071,000.	

CLOSING BID and ASKED PRICES

(Stocks not traded in yesterday.)

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Adams Exp	...	88	St. L.	21	40	Mackay Co. pfd	70	75
Al.-Ch. pfd	34½	40	Do pfd	42½	...	Do pfd	97	98
Am. Ag. Ch.	...	46¾	Colo. & Sou	20	...	Man. Elev	125	129
Do pfd	89½	91	Do 1st pfd	42	...	May D. Sts	...	96½
Am. Beet Sugar pfd	...	80	Do 2d pfd	33½	...	Do pfd	...	...
Am. B. Shoe	97	97	Crex. Carp	...	65	Mex. Nat	¾	1
Amn. Coal Products	...	53½	D. & Rio G.	4¾	5½	Do pfd	3½	7
Do pfd	104½	106	Del. & Hud.	144	146	Mex. Petrol	53	53
Am. Cot. Oil	41	42	Dist. Secur.	10	11½	Do pfd	80	76
Do pfd	93	97½	D., S.S. & A.	...	5	Miami Cop	17½	18
Am. Exp	...	97	Do pfd	8	9	M. & St. L	...	11
Am. Hide & Leath. pfd	20	21	Erie 2d pfd	23½	31	Do pfd	...	27
Am. Loc. pf	95	97	Fed. M. & S. pfd	29	33	M. St. P. & S. M. pf	...	130
Am. Malt	...	30	Gen. Motors	...	175	N. & Chat	...	135
Do pfd	...	80	G. H. Hump.	...	75	Nat. Biscu	119	122
Am. Snuff	90½	100¾	Gen. M. pfd	92	94	Do pfd	...	122
Am. Sugar	103½	104½	Goodrich pf.	92	95½	Nat. Lead	44	46
Am. T. & C.	68	...	Hav. Elec	...	79	Do pfd	105	106
Am. Tob. pf	104½	104¾	Homestake	114	117½	N. R. R. of M. 1st pfd	...	23
Am. Wool	14	25	Int. Harv.	107	109	Do 2d pfd	4¾	7
Do pfd	78½	80¾	Int. Harv. Corp.	114	...	N. Y. A. B.	55	60
Am. Writing Paper pfd	...	10	Internat. Pa.	7	8	Norf. Sou	...	100
Assets Real.	5	10	Do pfd	33	35½	Norf. & W	99¾	100
Atchison pf.	90¾	97	Int. St. P.	...	3	N. Amer	67	69
Bald. Loco	...	40	Do pfd	...	9¾	Pacific Mail	19	21
Do pfd	...	160	Iowa Cent.	...	7	Pac. T. & T.	25	27
Batopilas	...	¾	Do pfd	...	12	Do pfd	87	90
B. Th. Tn.	118	120	J. I. C. pfd	...	83¾	Penn. R. R.	114¾	115¾
Brunswick	5	7½	J. Kayser	...	84	P. & East	34	36
Butterick	27	29½	Do pfd	105	...	Peoples Gas	117	117¾
Cal. Pet. pf	...	61¼	Kan. City S. pfd	62	67	Pettl.-Mull	19	20
Cent. N. J	...	310	K. & Des M.	3	10	Pitts. St. pf	...	82
C. & O	41½	43	Kresge	...	94	P. C., C. & St. L	68	85
C. & A	...	94½	Do pfd	...	100½	Do pfd	98	105
Do pfd	...	75½	Laclede Gas	89	91	Pr. St. C. pf	...	101
C. G. West	10¾	11	L. E. & W.	6	8	Pub. Serv. of N. J	...	106
C. M. & St. P. pfd	...	122	Do pfd	...	11	Quicksilver	1¾	1¾
C., S. P., M. & Omaha	...	132	Lig. & My	209	211	Do pfd	1¾	1¾
Do pfd	...	130	Loose Wiles	30	34	Ry. St. Spg.	...	88
C. & N. W.	123¾	125	Do 1st pfd	100	103	pfd	...	88
Do pfd	...	170	Do 2d pfd	...	94¾	Read. 1st pf	84	88
C., C. C. &			L. & N.	113	113½			

COFFEE AND SUGAR.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—The coffee market showed continued firmness today on Wall street and trade buying, part of which was believed to be for foreign account through houses with cotton exchange connections. Yesterday's bullish visible supply statement and the continued steadiness in Brazil seemed the factors in the advance, in connection with talk of an improved demand from domestic roasters after the recent period of inactivity. Futures opened steady at an advance of six to eight points and closed at a net advance of seven to eleven points. Sales, 31,750. January, 6.55c; February, 6.35c; March, 6.44c; April, 6.54c; May, 6.64c; June, 6.83c; July, 7.03c; August, 7.12c; September, 7.06c; October, 7.06c; November, 7.78c; December, 7.81c. Spot coffee steady; Rio No. 7, 7½c; Santos No. 4, 9¼c. Owing to the holiday there were no official cables from Brazil. Cost and freight offers were reported 10 to 25 points higher. SUGAR.—Futures: February, 3.01c; May, 3.16c; June, 3.20c. Sales, 2,050 tons. Spot firm; molasses, 3.34c; centrifugal, 4.11c. Refined steady.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—SUGAR—The following prices were quoted by wholesale dealers per 100 lbs.: Cut loaf, H. & R., $4.85; powdered, standard, $4.55; eastern granulated, $3.35; best granulated, $3.25; extra "C," $3.15; canary, $4.15.

DRY GOODS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—An advance to 4¾c a yard was announced today in staple prints. Cotton goods were generally in better demand. Machines were being bought freely for fall. Machine wrs were bringing 17½c a yard. Some advances on them reaching 17½c a yard. Raw silk was 10c per lb higher. Buyers of dry goods were more plentiful in the markets than for some time.

COTTON.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—COTTON—Futures:

	Open	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous close.
January	7.81	7.81	7.80	7.80	7.86
March	8.08	8.10	7.98	7.98	8.05
May	8.23	8.22	8.18	8.18	8.25
July	8.41	8.50	8.35	8.35	8.43
October	8.67	8.78	8.60	8.60	8.68

Spot quiet; middling uplands, 8.00c; sales, 700 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 7.—COTTON—Futures:

	High.	Low.	Close.
January	7.79	7.69	7.71
March	8.07	7.99	7.99
May	8.20	8.09	8.09
July	8.47	8.40	8.38
October			

Spot steady; sales, 800 bales; middling, 7¾c.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 7.—COTTON—Steady; good middling, 5.04d; middling, 4.74d; low middling, 4.81d; sales, 8,000 bales; speculation and export, 800; receipts, 17,000. Futures: May-June, 4.80¾d; July-August, 4.56¾d; October-November, 4.06¾d; January-February, 4.71¾d.

METALS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—TIN—Easy; $32.50@$32.90. COPPER—Firm; electrolytic, $13.50; casting, $13.25@13.37. IRON—Quiet, unchanged. LEAD—Quiet, $3.75@3.80. SPELTER—Steady, $5.40@5.90. COPPER—At London, spot, £58 10s; futures, £58. TIN—Spot, £148 10s; futures, £149 10s. LEAD—Spot, £19. SPELTER—Spot, £26 7s 6d.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 7.—LEAD—Steady, $5.40@5.90. SPELTER—$5.40@5.90.

STOCKS ADVANCE IN WALL STREET

List Broadens in the Final Hour; Numerous Gains of 1 to Over 3 Points.

LONDON EXCHANGE LOW

New York, Jan. 7.—Such animation as was manifested at odd times by today's stock market was mainly in the special class of securities. This embraced Bethlehem steel, which rose to a new high price to the accompaniment of dividend resumption rumors; American Can, whose earnings are said to be very large; Westinghouse Electric, International Harvester (although there was an abrupt decline to its minimum by the stock of the foreign corporation), and several of the newly listed automobile shares.

Rails Under Pressure.

Favorite railway stocks were under pressure for the greater part of the session, likewise United States Steel, which was again offered for foreign interests, according to board room gossip. In the final hour, however, with more activity than has recently been shown, the whole list broadened and advanced, with numerous net gains of 1 to over 3 points.

The short interest in some of the more speculative issues hurriedly covered their commitments, in many instances at a considerable loss.

London Exchange Declines.

By far the most interesting development of the day was another decline in exchange on London, bringing the quotation down to 4.83½, the lowest price since October of 1907, at which time a stock market panic was prevailing and New York banks had decided to issue loan certificates.

Despite this abnormal situation, bankers today expressed doubt that any of the gold recently shipped to Ottawa would be returned in the immediate future. Apart from technical considerations, it was agreed that chief cause of the decline lay in the vast improvement shown by this country's foreign trade.

The local market for bonds was irregular with wide fluctuations in many issues. Total sales (par value) were $1,980,000. United States government bonds were unchanged on call.

Mercantile paper, 4@4¼ per cent. Sterling exchange steadier after early decline; sixty day bills, 4.8150; for cables, 4.8425; for demand, 4.8290. Bar silver, 48¾c. Mexican dollars, 37¾c. Time loans easy; sixty days, 3½ per cent; ninety days, 3½@3¾; six months, 3¾@4. Call money steady; high, 2¼ per cent; low, 2¼; ruling rate, 2¼; last loan, 2½; closing bid, 2¼; offered at 2½.

New York Curb Transactions.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Atlanta	17,500

FOREIGN BUYING RALLIES WHEAT

Large Export Sales and Tight Cash Markets Keep Cereal on Up Grade.

OATS SCORE BIG GAIN.

The reported resumption of buying of cash wheat by agents of foreign governments turned a weak market in wheat yesterday into a strong one. Net gains for the day were 1¾@2¾c higher. While early reports were indicative of a lull in the demand, later many reports of big sales were received from the seaboard, total sales for the day being 1,500,000 bu in all positions.

The top price for May wheat was $1.38⅝, the highest point of the crop. July touched $1.24⅝. The early weakness was due to reports of Italy mobilizing troops with the possibility of a war between that country and Turkey. This was regarded as bearish, as traders were inclined to believe Turkey would be overwhelmed and the Dardanelles soon would be open for the passage of Russian wheat.

Cash Wheat Prices Strong.

Uneasiness on this score was soon over, and the market rallied when reports of big cash sales began to come in. From the low prices advanced nearly 3c. Cash wheat was strong here, No. 2 hard selling 2c under May. At Omaha and Kansas City prices advanced, and there was little wheat offered even at the advanced prices.

Minneapolis stocks have begun to decrease, losing 125,000 bu for five days, against an increase of 600,000 bu for same week. Kansas City stocks have decreased 205,000 bu so far this week. Duluth was strong and the demand for durum wheat continues brisk, sales being made Wednesday at the equivalent of $1.30¾ c. i. f. Italian ports. This is a new record price for this kind of wheat.

Judging from the higher premiums for wheat, Minneapolis millers are becoming more anxious in regard to their supplies. No. 1 northern blue stem sold at 2c3c over May, the highest relative price on the crop. Liverpool prices were unchanged to 1d off for spot wheat, but the Liverpool market is not regarded as a criterion of foreign conditions, as it is understood the government has checked the advance.

Foreign News Bullish.

The review of foreign conditions by Broomhall was bullish. He stated Argentine offerings are being checked by the enormous freight rates, while wheat holders in that country are bullish and asking high prices. So far plate wheat is not underselling American wheat. English markets are said to be lower than those on the continent.

Armour and Bartlett-Frazier were good buyers of wheat and some traders were of the opinion this was against cash sales. Norris, another exporter, also was credited with buying quite a little wheat. Commission houses were good buyers after the early break.

Clearances were large at 1,274,000 bu wheat and flour. Receipts here were 108 cars, with only 93 cars inspected yesterday. Primary points had 833,000 bu, a considerable decrease, although larger than a year ago, when they were 574,000 bu. Receivers expect a smaller run from now on until the farmers again sell freely. Northwest receipts were 271 cars, against 218 cars a year ago. Winnipeg had 84 cars, against 78 cars a year ago.

Corn Rallies After Break.

Corn bulls were helped by the late strength in wheat and oats and by the reports of a broader cash demand. Prices finished ⅝@1¼c to 1½c higher. The offerings were quite liberal early, when there was considerable liquidation by local holders. Offerings from the country are fair and receipts are still quite liberal, but shipments from Chicago are increasing. Cash prices were ¼c lower early, but closed strong, and total sales were 485,000 bu, including 250,000 bu for export.

Outside cash markets generally closed strong. Minneapolis reported a good demand for corn from Canada. Cables were unchanged. Argentine shipments for the week were estimated at 4,000,000 bu, against 3,205,000 bu a year ago. Plate offers were firm at Liverpool. Receipts here were 316 cars, with 477 cars inspected yesterday, and primary receipts were 1,413,000, against 1,068,000 bu a year ago. Clearances were 154,000 bu.

Oats Active and Strong.

Oats showed independent strength from the start. The cash demand was better at the seaboard and at Omaha and the cash market here closed firm. Local sales were reported 405,000 bu, including a liberal amount for export, and the seaboard placed export sales in all positions at 1,500,000 bu. Futures closed ¼@⅝c to 1@1⅛c up. Cash prices were steady to ½c higher at the close, after being weak early. Receipts are dropping off considerably, primary arrivals being 571,000 bu, against 710,000 bu a year ago.

Local receipts were 103 cars, with 141 cars inspected yesterday. Shipments from Chicago were 416,000 bu. Omaha reported oats sold to St. Louis at the highest price on crop, and considerable was sold for export. Bartlett-Frazier, Reusch-Schwartz, and Barrell, were credited with buying oats. King-Farnum sold early.

Hog Products Barely Steady.

Provisions were irregular at the close. Price s, however, were not much changed, although the hog receipts were bearish. Patrick Cudahy was on the floor giving out extremely bearish interviews and predicting 6c hogs next June. Hog receipts were 52,000, and 33,000 expected today. Prices at the yards were not much changed. Southern trade conditions were reported poor.

The cash trade is feeling the effect of the big hog supply. Receipts of products here were 22 cars and shipments were 83 cars. Liverpool prices were unchanged except for January lard, which was 2d lower.

Rye Market Still Weak.

Weakness again pervaded the market for rye and No. 2 sold at $1.13, while No. 3, No. 4, and sample grade sold at $1.11. Receipts, 17 cars.

Barley was 1@2c higher with malting 86@76c for spot and 70@78c to arrive. Feed sold at 86¼@67c and screenings up to 97c. Receipts, 35 cars.

Timothy seed was quiet at $6.00@7.00 for cash and clover seed was steady at $10.00@15.00 for cash.

Duluth flax closed 1¾@2¾c higher, with cash on track $1.70¾ and May $1.71¾. Receipts, 9 cars. Minneapolis was 2¾c higher at $1.68¾@1.71¾ for cash on track. Receipts, 14 cars. Winnipeg closed 2¾c higher, with cash on track $1.40¾. Receipts, 7 cars.

BOARD OF TRADE TRANSACTIONS.

RANGE OF ACTIVE FUTURES.

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing— Jan. 7.	Jan. 6.
May	1.35½	1.38⅝	1.34¾	1.38⅝	1.36
July	1.22½	1.24⅝	1.21⅝	1.24⅝	1.22⅝
CORN.					
May	74⅞	75⅝	74⅛	75⅜	75⅛
July	76	76¾	75⅛	76¼	76¼
OATS.					
May	54⅜	56	54⅜	55⅜	54⅞
July	52½	53⅝	52¾	53⅜	53⅛
PORK.					
Jan				19.00	19.00
May	19.37½	19.50	19.25	19.47½	19.45
LARD.					
Jan	10.65	10.65	10.62½	10.62½	10.67½
May	10.95	10.95	10.87½	10.95	10.97½
SHORT RIBS.					
Jan	10.10	10.10	10.07½	10.07½	10.12½
May	10.50	10.50	10.40	10.50	10.47½

PRICES AT OUTSIDE MARKETS.

WHEAT.

	May— High.	Low.	Close.	July— High.	Low.	Close.
St. L.	1.35¼	1.32	1.33	1.21¼	1.20½	1.21¼
K. C.	1.31⅝	1.28	1.30⅜	1.18⅜	1.17¼	1.18¼
Minn.	1.34¼	1.30⅜	1.34	1.34¼	1.31¼	1.34
Dul.	1.36	1.32½	1.35⅜	1.35¼	1.33¼	1.35¼
Win.	1.33	1.32½	1.34⅝	1.30⅝	1.30	1.30⅝
Tol.	1.40½	1.37¼	1.40¼			
CORN.						
St. L.	76⅛	75¼	76⅛	76⅞	76½	76⅞
K. C.	75	73⅛	74½	75⅝	74½	75⅝
OATS.						
Win.	59½	58⅝	59			

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	Stand- ard.	No 2 or better.	No. 3.	Lower gr'des.	Tl cars.
Winter wh't		53	41	2	96
Spring wheat			2	8	10
Corn		41	164	112	317
Oats		24	1	54	24	103
Rye		24	1	54	24	103
Barley				15	31	46
Totals		24	99	277	188	588

Loaned from unlicensed elevators: Wheat: No. 2 hard, 141 cars; No. 3 red mixed, 1 car, Corn: No 2 yellow, 3 cars; No. 3 yellow, 34 cars; No. 4 yellow, 14 cars; No. 2 white, 3 cars; No. 3 white, 5 cars; No. 4 white, 1 car; No. 2 mixed, 2 cars; No. 3 mixed, 84 cars; No. 4 mixed, 3 cars. Oats: No. 3 white, 11 cars; No. 4 white, 1 car; clipped, 84 cars; No. 3 milo maize, 3 cars.

From store: Wheat: No. 2 hard, 61,904 bu; No. 4hard, 1,100 bu; No. 2 red, 21,496 bu. Corn: No. 3 yellow, 11,230 bu; No. 2 white, 1,000 bu; No. 2 mixed, 23,053 bu. Oats: Standard, 25,500 bu. Barley: Rejected, 19,175 bu.

DAILY BIDS AND OFFERS.

	Bids— High.	Low.	Close.	Offers. High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat— May	1.35⅞	1.33¾	1.35⅜	1.42¼	1.42¼	1.41⅝
July	1.22¼	1.21⅜	1.22¼	1.27¼	1.26¼	1.26¾
Corn— May	75¼	75⅛	75¼	76½	76¼	76⅝
July	76⅝	76¼	76¼	77⅜	77¼	77¼
Oats— May	55⅜	55½	55⅝	56⅝	56½	56⅝

WEEKLY BIDS AND OFFERS.

	Bids.	Offers.
Wheat— May	1.28	1.43
Corn— May	73	78¼
Oats— May	54	58¼

PRIMARY MOVEMENT.

WESTERN.

	Received— Wheat.	Corn.	Shipped— Wheat.	Corn.
Chi.	294,000	549,000	288,000	417,000
Milw.	18,000	79,000	10,000	76,000
Minn.	282,000	127,000	110,000	46,000
Dul.	61,000	68,000	33,000	.....
Other	43,000	108,000	48,000	58,000
Tot.	22,000	23,000	20,000	4,000

	Received— Wheat.	Corn.	Shipped— Wheat.	Corn.
Detr.	4,000	42,000	20,000	14,000
K. C.	113,000	80,000	193,000	89,000
Peoria	5,000	63,000	1,000	55,000
Omaha	46,000	190,000	110,000	147,000
Idpc.	3,000	62,000	.....	68,000
Cinc.	2,000	30,000	28,000	13,000
Tl. bu.	833,000	1,415,000	865,000	912,000
Last y.	574,000	1,068,000	346,000	732,000
EASTERN.				
N. Y.	270,000	84,000	32,000	115,000
Bost.	122,000	.....	64,000	35,000
Phila.	119,000	11,000	.....	.....
Balt.	152,000	84,000	44,000	1,000
N. O.	334,000	10,000	612,000	.....
Galv.	73,000	.....	486,000	.....
Tl. bu.	1,070,000	195,000	1,238,000	154,000
Last y.	200,000	321,000	478,000	5,000

CASH TRANSACTIONS.

FLOUR—Market quiet. Quotations:

SPRING WHEAT.

Pat. Jute	$5.10@5.40	First cl	$5.15@5.40
Sp. brands, wood	$7.00	Sec. clear	$4.25@4.60
Strts. jt	$5.00@5.85	Red Dog	$3.65@3.90

WINTER WHEAT.

Soft winter—		Pat. jute	$5.65@5.80
Pat. jute	$6.00@6.25	Straights	$5.40@5.60
Straights	$5.25@5.50	Clears	$5.10@5.35
Clears	$4.80@5.00	Dark	$5.50@6.00
Hard winter—		White, pt.	$6.10@6.30

RYE FLOUR.

WINTER WHEAT—Firm; 1@2c higher Sales: In store: Mixed lots, 1,500,000 bu. Track: No. 3 hard, $1.32¼@1.33¼; No. 2 hard, $1.34¼@1.34¾; No. 4 red, $1.24¼. Illinois proportional billing: No. 2 red, $1.34¼; No. 4 red, $1.34.

SPRING WHEAT—Quiet. Sales: Track: Sample grade, $1.18@1.20; sample northern $1.19@1.20; No. 4 northern, $1.28¼.

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CORN—Steady to ½c lower, 63@70¾c. Sales: In store: Mixed lots, 500,000 bu. Track: Sample grade, 63c; No. 6 mixed, 65c; No. 5 mixed, 66¼@66¾c; No. 4 mixed, 67¼@68c; No. 3 mixed, 68¼@69c; No. 2 mixed, 68¾@69¼c; No. 2 yellow, 69@69¼c; No. 4 yellow, 67¼@68¼c; No. 3 yellow, 68¼@69¼c; No. 2 yellow, 70c; No. 5 white, 65c; No. 4 white, 68@68¼c; No. 3 white, 68¾@69¾c; No. 2 white, 70¼c.

OATS—Steady to ¼c higher, 50@53¼c. Sales: In store: Mixed lots, 1,500,000 bu. Track: Sample grade, 50c; No. 4 white, 50¾@52¼c; No. 3 white, 51¾@52½c; standard, 52½c. Illinois proportional billing: No. 3 white, 51¾@52c; standard, 52¼@53¼c; No. 2 white, 53@53¼c.

HOG PRODUCTS—Steady. Cash lots: Mess pork, $17.00@17.50; lard, $10.62½; short ribs, $9.62½@10.25.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet. Beef hams, $37.50@38.00; extra mess beef, $21.50@22.00; plate beef, $22.00@22.50; extra plate beef, $22.50@23.00. TALLOW — Choice edible, 7¼@7¾c; prime packers', 6¾@6¾c; No. 1 packers', 6¼@6¾c; No. 2 packers', 5¾@5¼c; No. 1 renderers', 5¼@6c; choice country, 6¼@6¾c; No. 2 country, 5@5¼c; oleo stearin, 10@10¼c; lard stearin, 11¾@12c; extra oleo, 13¾@14c; oleo stock, 10¼@11¼.

GREASE—Quiet. Brown, 4¼@4¼c; yellow, 5@5¼c; house, 4¾@4¾c; "B" white, 5¾@5¾c; "A" white, 6¼@6¾c; choice white, 6¾@6¾c.

HAY.

HAY—Steady. Receipts, 1,000 tons; shipments, 470 tons; choice timothy, $17.00 @17.50; No. 1 timothy, $15.50@16.00; No. 2 timothy, $13.50@14.50.

STRAW—Rye, $10.00@10.50; oat, $8.50@ 9.00; wheat, $8.00@8.50.

NEWS AND GOSSIP OF BOARD OF TRADE.

"Carrying charges will be good enough for me this year," said Patrick Cudahy, the Milwaukee packer, who was here yesterday. "We are going to have plenty of hogs all the year, and they will be much cheaper next summer. Most of the bulls this year are war bulls, and think because wheat is in demand at a high price that pork product had got to follow. Bread is a necessity, but meat is a luxury, especially at these prices, and the higher flour goes the less money the poor man can spare to buy meat with. Notwithstanding all we read and all the talk we hear of anticipated prosperity, we must admit that there are more men out of employment in this country today than there has been for years. Killing men and destroying property is a poor road to prosperity.

"The condition of the south could not be worse. They will kill all the razorback hogs they have this year, so we cannot expect much trade from that section for short ribs or that class of product. It is going to be a piling up year, and I believe our cellars will be taxed to the limit for storage capacity. The bull or the buyer of product this year is paying the fellow who sells it to him about 6 per cent in the form of carrying charges for the privilege of doing business with him. I believe we will buy plenty of hogs at 6c in June."

The total wheat sales for export in all positions yesterday were reported from the seaboard at 1,500,000 bu. Local sales were small, only 135,000 bu, and mostly to mills, but the spot market here was strong and prices were a shade firmer relatively to the future. No. 2 hard selling at 2c under the May. At all points the high bids to the country were said to have resulted in only small purchases. Omaha reported extremely light offerings from the country. Receipts at Kansas City and Omaha are decreasing, and indications are for a lighter run. For some time past the movement has gradually been dwindling. Spring wheat receipts are moderate, while shipments from Minneapolis to country mills are heavy, country mills buying freely. For five days Minneapolis stocks decreased 125,000 bu, against an increase of 600,000 bu a year ago.

The action of the wheat market yesterday was a considerable surprise to many of the big local professionals, who in the last day or so have taken profits. Bagrot was supposed to have sold out most of his long wheat yesterday, and recently ReCus, Linn, C. L. Raymond, and many other leading traders have been supposed to have sold out. The heavy realizing sales have obstructed the advance only temporarily, however, and local traders were at a loss to explain the support. Armour was a big buyer, and Bartlett-Frazier was credited with buying. The Armour concern is supposed to be long futures on a large scale, and James A. Patten is supposed to have a good line of wheat.

According to the reports from the seaboard there has been a big business in oats for export the last two days. In all positions export sales of oats were reported at 1,500,000 bu, and there were good sales reported at Omaha for shipment via the gulf. St. Louis bought oats from Omaha at 50c f. o. b. Omaha, the highest price in the crop. Local prices were not much changed, but recovered as early loss. Sales here were 155,000 bu reported, although rumors were current of large sales. Country sales of oats are not so heavy, and the primary run is now less than a year ago.

There was a better demand for corn yesterday, and sales were 485,000 bu, including 250,000 bu for export. The relative cheapness of corn compared to wheat is apparently attracting attention abroad, and its wider use is advocated in some quarters in Europe. With the famine conditions prevailing in many sections abroad, the use of American corn should be encouraged at present prices. With the increasing difficulty in obtaining wheat, the lower priced grains are expected to again come in for a good demand.

Broomhall, the English statistician, says: "Some interests here are calculating the remaining wheat surplus in the United States at only 80,000,000 bu. I am inclined not to accept this figure, but the fact remains purchases for North America will be inexpensively kept to make. America's supplies are getting smaller, while the European needs continue great. High freights in Argentina are a menace to early shipments. Weather conditions in Argentina the next month will be a big factor."

Some of the export brokers continued to report a slow export business. Much of the business at present appears to be transacted outside the usual channels. Negotiations are usually for large lots, and are conducted with the principals direct. George E Marcy of the Armour Grain company and C. B. Pierce of the Bartlett-Frazier company were in New York yesterday.

Michigan report for January, as wired by King of Toledo, says 321 correspondents reported no damage during December to wheat; 22 said there was some damage. A year ago one-third reported damage. Farmers marketed 940,000 bu wheat, against 235,000 bu a year ago.

Duluth sold durum wheat yesterday at $1.09¾ c. i. f. Italy. The demand from Italy continues good, and reports from the seaboard say that both French and Italian buyers have bought freely the last few days.

For the year 1914 New Orleans cleared 31,492,000 bu wheat, against 14,387,000 bu a year ago. For December the wheat and flour clearances were 8,083,000 bu, against 622,000 bu a year ago.

Estimated receipts for today: Wheat, 96 cars; corn, 477 cars; oats, 141 cars; rye, 17 cars; barley, 35 cars; hogs, 33,000 head.

Minneapolis No. 1 northern blue stem was quoted 2@3c over the May yesterday.

Kansas City stocks decreased 205,000 bu wheat so far this week.

SHIP SHORTAGE NOT BLAMED

New York, Jan. 7.—The falling off in this country's trade with South America has not been caused by a shortage of vessels, according to a report submitted today to the chamber of commerce by its committee on foreign commerce and revenue laws, but by the adverse financial conditions existing in almost all the South American states, due to the fact that they were large borrowers of capital from Europe and found their resources considerably shortened when loan facilities were denied them.

OILS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—OILS—Wholesale prices for carbon and other oils: Standard white, 9½c; perfection, 9½c; headlight, 175 .11½c; cocene, 12c; V. M. P. naphtha, 13½c; gasoline, 11½c; machine gasoline, 16½c; raw linseed oil, 58c; boiled, 59c; turpentine, 51c; summer black oil, 9½c; winter black oil, 7c. These quotations apply to barrel lots, f. o. b. Chicago.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—COTTON SEED OIL—Prime crude, $5.84 sales; prime summer yellow, 96.18) January, 96.18; February, 96.36; March, 96.48; April, 96.60; May, 96.67; June, 96.75; July, 96.87; August, 96.97. Prime winter yellow and summer white, 96.39@97.00.

OIL CITY, Pa., Jan. 7.—Credit balances, $1.50; runs, 89,000 brls; average, 93,429; shipments, 82,000; average, 91,218.

NEWS OF THE COURTS

United States Supreme Court.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 7.—In the Supreme court of the United States today the record was:

112—Vicksburg Water Works company, plaintiff in error, vs. E. Ford; in error to the Supreme court of the state of Mississippi; dismissed with costs pursuant to the tenth rule.

456—Mutual Film corporation, appellant, vs. the Industrial commission of Ohio et al.; 457—The Mutual Film company, appellant, vs. the Industrial commission of Ohio et al.; and

497—The Mutual Film corporation of Missouri, appellant, vs. George H. Hodges, governor of all; argument passluded by Walter N. Seligsberk for the appellants.

505—The United States, plaintiff in error, vs. Luther Jerome Small; argued by Assistant Attorney General Knaebel for the plaintiff in error; no appearance for the defendant in error.

14—The George N. Pierce company, petitioner, vs. Wells Fargo & Co.; reargued by Alfred L. Becker for the petitioner and by Charles W. Pierson for the respondent.

630—The United States, petitioner, vs. C. B. & Q. R. R.; argument commenced by Assistant Attorney General Underwood for the petitioner.

Adjournment until tomorrow at 12 o'clock. The day call for Friday, Jan. 8, will be as follows: 620, 452, 626, 648, 488 [and 494], 122 [and 362 and 368], 137, 351 [and 616], 118, and 135.

CATTLE VALUES SHOW FIRMNESS

Prices Advance 10@15 Cts.; Receipts of 7,000 Head Find Ready Outlet.

HOGS DROP GRADUALLY.

LIVE STOCK QUOTATIONS.

CATTLE.

Beef steers, good to choice	$8.60@ 9.75
Beef steers, fair to good	7.75@ 8.60
Beef steers, common to fair	5.50@ 7.75
Yearlings	7.50@ 9.75
Beef cows	5.00@ 7.15
Fat heifers, fair to selected	5.25@ 8.50
Canners and cutters	3.25@ 4.75
Good to prime vealers	8.75@11.00
Bulls	5.50@ 7.10

HOGS.

Bulk of sales	$7.05@7.20
Common to good mixed	7.00@7.15
Fair to choice medium wt	7.10@7.20
Lightweights	7.20@7.35
Fair to selected butchers	7.25@7.35
Select 200@300 lb packers	7.20@7.25
Boars, according to weight	3.00@4.00
Pigs	6.50@7.25
Stags	6.65@7.15

SHEEP.

Fed wethers	$5.50@6.85
Fed yearlings	6.75@8.00
Western ewes	4.75@6.35
Bucks	4.00@4.50
Native lambs	7.75@8.90
Western lambs	7.75@9.00
Cull lambs	6.25@7.50

A firmer feeling developed in the market for beef cattle at Chicago yesterday and sales were made at an advance of 10@15c from the preceding day's figures. Receipts were posted at only 7,000 head and they found a ready outlet at the appreciation. Best steers offered made $8.80, with the bulk at $7.35@8.40. Cows and heifers also made stronger prices, while calves sold 25@50c higher, topping at $10.50 for prime vealers, with small assorted lots at $10.75@11.00.

Hogs opened on a steady basis, but the market weakened as the session progressed, and many late bids were passed at a decline of 15@25c from Wednesday's figures. Top sales were made at $7.35 and the bulk ranged from $7.05@7.20, but sellers locked up about 16,000 hogs rather than make the big concessions demanded by late buyers. Receipts were 50,000 head.

Sheep and Lambs Up.

Sheep and yearlings made strong to 15c higher prices, while lambs sold at an advance of 10@15c. The latter topped at $9.00. Prime yearlings were quoted at $8.00, although offerings on hand were too heavy to make the price. Receipts were 19,000 head and they were well taken.

Hog purchases for the day: Armour & Co., 1,500; Swift & Co., 4,000; Sulzberger & Sons, 3,300; Morris & Co., 3,000; Anglo-American, 6,500; Hammond, 2,500; Boyd-Lunham, 2,000; Roberts & Oake, 1,000; Western Packing company, 1,200; Miller & Hart, 1,000; Independent Packing company, 1,200; Brennan Packing company, 1,000; butchers, 1,000; shippers, 7,000; total, 36,200; left over, 16,000.

Movement at Chicago Yards.

Receipts—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Wednesday, Jan. 6	14,236	1,818	40,206	26,906
Thursday, Dec. 31	7,954	1,264	46,820	13,768
Thursday, Jan. 7	7,000	1,000	50,000	16,000
Shipments—				
Wednesday, Jan. 6	3,675	152	6,390	2,115
Thursday, Dec. 31	3,220	61	5,771	2,660
Thursday, Jan. 7	2,000	100	5,000	2,000

Receipts for Jan. 8 were estimated at 8,000 cattle, 500 calves, 45,000 hogs, and 15,000 sheep, against actual arrivals of 3,272 cattle, 21,117 hogs, and 12,236 sheep for Friday, Jan. 9, 1914.

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—BEEVES—Receipts, 767; no trading. CALVES—Receipts, 360; steady; veals, $9.00@13.00; culls, $6.50@8.50; fed calves, $6.50@8.00. SHEEP AND LAMBS —Receipts, 3,197; steady; sheep, $3.50@5.50; culls, $3.00@3.25; lambs, $7.50@9.25; culls, $6.00@7.00. HOGS—Receipts, 3,236; no trading.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 7.—CATTLE—Receipts, 800; low and easy. HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; heavy and mixed, $7.40; yo krs, $7.40@7.50; pigs, $7.45@7.50; roughs, $6.40@ 6.60; stags, $5.50@6.25. SHEEP AND LAMBS —Receipts, 5,000; sheep active; lambs, slow, unchanged.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 7.—HOGS—Receipts, 21,000; steady to 10c lower; bulk, $7.05@ 7.25; heavy, $7.20@7.25; packers and butchers, $7.10@7.30; light, $7.00@7.20; pigs, $6.40@6.60. CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000; steady to strong. SHEEP—Receipts, 4,700; 10c higher; lambs, $8.25@8.75.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 7.—HOGS—Receipts, 3,000; higher; heavies, $7.35@7.40; heavy yorkers, $7.55@7.60; light yorkers and pigs, $7.70. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,000; higher; top sheep, $6.50; top lambs, $8.00. CALVES—Receipts, 50; steady; top, $11.50.

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., Jan. 7.—HOGS—Receipts, 8,000; steady; pigs and lights, $6.25@7.35; mixed and butchers, $7.15@ 7.45; good heavy, $7.25@7.35. CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000; steady. SHEEP—Receipts, 2,500; 25c higher; lambs, $8.25@8.95.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 7.—HOGS—Receipts, 15,000; steady; heavy, $7.05@7.15; light, $6.90 @7.10; pigs, $5.50@6.75; bulk, $7.00@7.05. CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000; steady. SHEEP—Receipts, 12,000; higher; lambs, $7.75@8.85.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 7.—HOGS—Receipts, 5,700; steady; range, $6.60@7.00; bulk, $6.95 @7.00. CATTLE—Receipts, 1,200; 10@15c lower. SHEEP—Receipts, 300; steady; lambs, $4.50@8.25.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 7.—HOGS—Receipts, 12,000; steady; top, $7.20; bulk, $7.10@7.20. CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000; steady. SHEEP— Receipts, 3,000; 10c higher; lambs, $7.75@8.75.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Jan. 7.—HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; 5c lower; bulk, $6.95@7.00; range, $6.90 @7.05. CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000; steady. SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000; 10c higher.

PROBATE COURT RECORD

Wills.

Peter Weimeschkirch; amount, $17,500; personal property $2,500 and real estate $15,000; Elisabet Weimeschkirch, 7068 North Clark street, his widow, executrix and sole beneficiary.

William C. Gehr; amount, $22,500; personal property $22,000 and real estate $500; Annie Gehr, 939 Lafayette avenue, widow, executrix; widow and Elmer K. Gehr, son, and Marjorie Gehr, daughter, same address, beneficiaries.

August Groth; amount, $4,500; Martha Groth, executrix; Margaret Madl, 3123 Southport avenue, daughter, et al., beneficiaries.

James Carey; amount, $6,700, all personal property; Illinois Trust and Savings bank, executor; Matthew W. Carey, Bakersfield, Cal., and James C. Carey, Aurora, Ill., beneficiaries.

Herbert E. Byeroft; amount, $200,000; personal property $150,000 and real estate $50,000; Northern Trust company, executor; Theresa Lucinda Byeroft, 4541 Forrestville avenue, widow, and thirteen others, beneficiaries.

Edson W. Lyman; amount, $25,000; personal property $15,000 and real estate $10,000; Winifred L. Worthington, 460 North Oak Park avenue, Oak Park, daughter, executrix; executrix and Edna L. Scott, Seattle, Wash., daughter, equal beneficiaries.

Frances A. Lyman; amount, $10,450; personal property $450 and real estate $10,000; beneficiaries, same as above will.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

Max Eisenberg, 1320 North Western avenue, furniture dealer; liabilities, $1,783; assets, $943.

Petition of Victor Eckland et al. to have A. L. Chatterton company, Chicago, adjudged bankrupt.

Petition of Max Rigot et al. to have George Heuyonion, Chicago, adjudged bankrupt.

Robert H. Marshall, 948 North Marshall avenue, printer; liabilities, $500; assets, $734.

Petition of C. L. Sabe et al. to have Pickette & Moore, Chicago Heights, merchants, adjudge bankrupt.

BAROMETER OF WHEAT PRICES FOR CHICAGO.

May closed:	
Thursday, Jan. 7	$1.38⅝
Wednesday, Jan. 6	1.36
Net gain for the day	2¾c
Thursday, Jan. 8, 1914	91⅛c
July closed:	
Thursday, Jan. 7	1.24⅝
Wednesday, Jan. 6	1.22½
Net gain for the day	1¾c
Thursday, Jan. 8, 1914	87⅛

Clearances from United States—

	Bu.
Thursday, Jan. 4	2,961,000
Thursday, Jan. 5, 1914	63,743,000
Visible supply—	
Monday, Jan. 4	72,861,000
Monday, Jan. 5, 1914	63,743,000

IN BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 7.—[Special.]—Boston and Maine recovered nearly 2 points of its recent decline today. There was no news to which to ascribe the change, and the rise was generally attributed to short covering. Receivership or consolidation with leased lines and an assessment is generally expected. Butte and Superior led the mining department, which was strong throughout. Call money, 4@5 per cent; time loans, short dates, 4½@5 per cent; time loans, six months, 4½@5 per cent; time loans, year, 4½@5 per cent.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Ahmeek	10	250	250	230	230
Alaska	1,950	26¼	27	26¼	26¾
Allouez	25	36	36	36	36
Amal. Cop.	105	63¾	64½	63½	64¼
Am. Zinc	625	17¼	17½	17¼	17½
Ariz. Comi.	1,115	3¾	4	3¾	4
Butte & Sup.	8,210	27¾	29¼	27¾	29¼
Cal. & Ariz.	122	64½	64½	64½	64½
Cal. & Hecla	5	355	355	355	355
Chino	36	32½	33½	32½	33½
Cop. Range	30	31	31	30½	30½
E. Butte	920	9	9	9	9
Granby	75	58	58	58	58
Greene Can.	180	24½	24½	24¼	24½
Hancock	100	12	12½	12	12½
Inspn.	110	18	18	18	18
La Salle	25	3½	3½	3½	3½
Mass. Cons.	50	3½	3½	3½	3½
Miami	10	17½	17½	17½	17½
Mohawk	3	48½	48½	48½	48½
Nev. Cons.	10	12¼	12¼	12¼	12¼
New Arc	755	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼
Nipissing	128	5½	5½	5½	5½
No. Butte	460	23	23½	23	23½
Old Colony	50	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
Old Dom.	25	44	44	44	44
Pond Creek	275	12¾	12¾	12	12¼
Ray	160	15¾	16¼	15¾	16¼
Santa Fe	60	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
Shannon	20	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Shattuck	100	19	19	19	19
St. Mary Land	25	28½	28¾	28½	28¾
Sup. & Bost.	200	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
Sup. Cop.	250	22¼	23¼	22¼	23¼
Tamarack	115	25½	27¼	25½	27¼
Tuolumne	200	22	22	22	22
U. S. Smelt.	225	25¼	25¼	25¼	25¼
Do pfd	84	42¾	43½	42	42¾
Utah Apex	50	2	2	2	2
Utah Cons.	40	10	10	10	10
Utah Cop.	20	49¾	50¼	49¾	50¼
Winona	25	2	2	2	2
Wolverine	5	83	84	83	84

RAILROADS.

Atchs.	50	94	94	94	94
Bos. & Albany	25	195	195	195	195
Bos. Elev.	40	95	95½	95	95
Bos. & Maine	365	20½	28¼	26½	28¼
Fitchburg pfd	20	75	75	75	75
Mass. Elec.	20	8¼	8½	8¼	8¼
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DOGS, BIRDS, POULTRY, ETC.	19	2
DANCING SCHOOLS	21	7
DEATHS	18	2
DRESSMAK'G AND MILLINERY	19	2
FINANCIAL	21	6
GARAGES	21	6
HELP WANTED—MALE	18	1
HELP WANTED—MALE	19	2
HELP WANTED—FEMALE	19	2
HORSES AND CARRIAGES	19	7
HOTELS	19	6
HOUSEHOLD GOODS	19	3
INSTRUCTION	21	3
JEWELRY, WATCHES, ETC.	20	3
LEASEHOLDS	19	3
LAWYERS	21	7
LAND INFORMATION	20	3
LOST AND FOUND	19	2
LIGHT & HEAVY MANUFACTG.	18	2
MACHINERY AND TOOLS	18	2
MOTOR TRUCKS TO RENT	21	6
MOTORCYCLES AND BICYCLES	21	6
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS	21	3
MORTGAGES FOR SALE	21	2
MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC	21	7
OFFICE DEVICES	21	3
PRINT'G, ENGRAV'G, BIND'G	19	2
PLUMBING & LIGHT FIXTURES	19	2
PRINT'G MACHINERY & SUP'LS	18	2
POSTAGE STAMPS, COINS, ETC.	19	3
PATENTS, PATENT ATTORNEYS	19	3
PERSONAL PROPERTY LOANS	20	3
PARTNERS WANTED	21	3
PENSIONS	18	2
PERSONAL	19	3
REAL ESTATE—CENTRAL	20	4
APARTMENTS—SOUTH SIDE	20	4
APARTMENTS—NORTH SIDE	20	4
APARTMENTS—NORTHWEST	20	4
APARTMENTS—WEST SIDE	20	4
BUSINESS PPTY.—SOUTH SIDE	20	5
BUSINESS PPTY.—NORTH SIDE	20	5
BUSINESS PPTY.—NORTHW'T	20	5
BUSINESS PPTY.—WEST SIDE	20	5
HOUSES—SOUTH SIDE	20	5
HOUSES—NORTH SIDE	20	5
HOUSES—NORTHWEST	20	5
SUB'N—NORTH	20	6
HOUSES—WEST SIDE	20	6
VACANT—SOUTH SIDE	20	6
VACANT—NORTH SIDE	20	6
VACANT—WEST SIDE	20	6
MISCELLANEOUS—SOUTH	20	6
MANUFACTURING PPTY.	20	6
SUB'N—SOUTH	20	6
SU'N—NORTH	20	6
SUB'N—NORTHWEST	20	7
SUB'N—WEST	20	7
SUB'N—OAK PARK, AUSTIN	20	7
ACRE PROPERTY	20	7
OTHER CITIES	20	7
SUMMER RESORTS	20	7
FARM LANDS	20	7
REAL ESTATE WANTED	20	7
" " "	21	1
REAL ESTATE TO EXCHANGE	21	1
REAL ESTATE LOANS	21	2
SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE	18	1
SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE	18	2
SEWING MACHINES	19	3
STOVES	19	3
SAFES	21	3
STEAMSHIP LINES	21	7
STORE AND OFFICE FIXTURES	21	3
TRADE SCHOOLS	19	2
"	21	7
TO RENT—ROOMS	19	6
TO RENT—HOUSEKEEP'G RMS	19	6
TO RENT—HOUSES	19	6
TO RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS	19	6
TO RENT—FLATS	19	6
" "	20	1
TO RENT—FURNISHED FLATS	20	1
TO RENT—STORES	20	1
TO RENT—OFFICES	20	2
TO RENT—FLOORS AND LOFTS	20	2
TO RENT—MFG. PROPERTY	20	2
TO RENT—BUILDINGS	20	2
TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS	20	2
TYPEWRITERS AND SUPPLIES	21	7
TALKING MACHINES	19	3
UNDERTAKERS	18	2
WANTED—TO RENT—ROOMS	19	6
WANTED—FLATS	20	1
WANTED—STORES, OFFICES	20	2
WANTED—TO RENT—FARMS	20	2
WANTED—TO RENT—MISCEL	20	2

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

NEW CORPORATIONS WERE LICENSED yesterday by the secretary of state at Springfield as follows:

Hughes & Holmes, Danville; capital, $20,000; general merchandise. Incorporators, Boyd Hughes, F. R. Holmes, Robert Holmes.

Consumers' Coal and Ice company, Chicago; capital, $2,500; coal and ice business. Incorporators, Abe H. Mavrettich, Dorothy Dwyer, Mihel Downers.

Charles M. Fisk, Chicago; capital, $12,000; deal in, produce, manufacture and otherwise deal in trees, shrubs, plants, etc.; incorporators, Charles H. Fisk, Mrs. Bertha O. Fisk, Clara D. Miller.

Local Umbrella Supply company, Chicago; capital, $10,000; manufacture and deal in umbrellas. Incorporators, Lucius Teter, McKinley, Mabel Rogers, Milton H. Cailner.

Universe Chemical company, Chicago; capital, $6,000; manufacture and sell soap for laundry, etc.; incorporators Charles O. Nelson, Robert Castello, Carl L. Redick.

Werner Dewey Dunlop company, Chicago; capital, $2,500; manufacture and deal in dusters, etc.; incorporators, Edward H. Blake, Doris Heffernan, Ella R. Vanderpool.

Yellow Cab company, Chicago; capital, $35,000; own, operate, manufacture, and deal in automobiles, etc.; incorporators, Benjamin Hammonds, Bernhard Stenge, James H. Wright.

Robert M. Sweitzer for Mayor, Thirty-second Ward Women's club, Chicago; political; incorporators, Mary McCarthy, Ellen Walsh, Elizabeth Sweeney et al.

International College of Midwifery, Chicago; science; to teach art of midwifery; incorporators, W. Stattkiewicz, M. D.; H. Mai, M. D.; Gustav Fisher, M. D.; Joseph F. Kozlowski, M. D.; S. Weiss, B. L., M. D.

CHANGES.

Lincoln Bank Note company, Chicago; capital decreased from $20,000 to $1,000.

Ferguson company, Chicago; capital increased from $50,000 to $200,000.

Keith Car company, Chicago; capital increased from $100,000 to $200,000.

Luther Institute, Chicago; repeal and change of articles.

DEATHS.

IN MEMORIAM.

FERINGTON—Grace L. Ferington, Jan. 8, 1912. In loving memory of our dear daughter, granddaughter, and niece, Grace L. Ferington.

ARTHUR—John Arthur, member Brotherhood of Painters, Local 147. Funeral notice later.

ASHLEY—Althea L. Ashley, age 78 years. Jan. 6, 1915, wife of the late Gilbert Ashley, beloved mother of Helen Ashley. Services at the late residence, 6263 Stony Island-av., Saturday, Jan. 9, at 1 p. m. Interment private at Rosehill.

BARRETT—William Fay Barrett. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 4734 N. Campbell-av., at 2:30 o'clock, Jan. 8. Burial in Concord, Mass.

BILLS—George D. Bills, suddenly of heart failure at his residence, Oak Park, Jan. 6. Funeral services 2 p. m. Saturday, Jan. 9, at Second Congregational church, Oak Park. Interment Oak Woods.

BRECHT—Charles Brecht, aged 86, suddenly, cherished husband of Louise Brecht, nee Reinhardt; cherished father of James and Bernardine. Funeral Sunday at 2:30 from his late residence, 1940 Farragut-av., carriages to Rosehill. Sta Bernardine and Oakland (Ill.) papers please copy.

CAMPBELL—Malcolm C. Campbell, beloved husband of Elizabeth T., nee Fraser, fond father of Mrs. William Church, Angus, Elizabeth, Malcolm, Archie, and Violet, brother of Angus, Alexander, and Mrs. R. Ranee, and uncle of James D. Fraser. Funeral Saturday at 2 p. m. from late residence, 1836 S. Lawndale-av., by autos to Oakwoods.

CARR—Harry E. Carr [nee Stockdale], beloved wife of Frank J., daughter of Mary, sister of Sarah, Jennie, Dixon, Edward, and Donald Stockdale, at 9 a. m. from late residence, 5704 Peoria-st., to Visitation church, where high mass will be celebrated. Automobiles to Mount Olivet. Friends wishing seats call Kenwood 3622.

CONSIDINE—Eleanor Mary Considine, infant daughter of Thomas J. and Eleanor Scanlon Considine, residence, 5449 Magnolia-av. Interment Calvary; private.

CORCORAN—Patrick L. Corcoran, 7438 Dante-av., age 66, husband of the late Alice Corcoran, dear father of Mary, James, Patrick, and Josephine Corcoran, Mrs. F. P. Cooney, and Mrs. R. F. Welsh, also the late Michael and Thomas Corcoran. Services at St. Lawrence church, Saturday. Burial at Mount Olivet.

DOWLING—Hanora Dowling [nee Hartnett], beloved wife of the late Timothy Dowling, mother of Mrs. Le Roy Hackett, Mrs. James S. Watson, Mrs. Edward Flanagan, Mrs. James A. Dooley, Margaret, Daniel, Patrick, and William. Funeral Friday, Jan. 8, at 9 a.m. from late residence, 345 S. Hamlin-av., to St. Mel's church, where requiem high mass will be celebrated, thence by autos to Calvary. For seats call Hiroen, West 101.

EPSTEIN—Sophie Epstein [nee Jacolyn], age 48 years, beloved wife of Isaac Epstein, mother Rae Schisle, Jerome, Frank, and Raymond. Funeral Friday at 2 p. m. 3015 Grand-blvd., 10:30 a. m. Services.

GRELIGH—Mary Greligh, nee Griffin, Jan. 6, 1915, at her residence, 418 W. Division-st., beloved wife of Thomas, mother of Mrs. Barbara Tyrrell, Mrs. Anna Brooks, Mrs. Barbara Greligh, the late Mrs. Anna Brooks and Dudley Griffin. Funeral notice later.

HOLZ—Annie Holz, beloved wife of Max and mother of Abe, Lottie, Esther, and Sidney. Funeral at 11 a. m. from late residence, 3164 Indiana-av. Strictly private.

JIRS—Minnie Jirs, aged 25 years, beloved wife of Ernest Jirs and sister of George, Clarence, Myrtle, and Ella Hagen. Funeral Sunday, 2 p. m. from Robertz & Son's, 3257 Wallace-st., by auto carriages to Rosehill cemetery.

KARMANN—Hugo R. Karmann, age 55, Jan. 6, brother of John C. Karmann and Mrs. F. J. Stevens. Funeral from Skeeles Bros.' funeral chapel, 45 E. Garfield-blvd., Friday, Jan. 8, at 1 p. m., by autos to Waldheim.

MARUBIO—Nicolo Marubio, Jan. 7, 1915, age 17 years, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Angel Marubio, fond brother of John, Raymond, George, and Maria. Funeral from late residence, 1935 Sherman-av., Saturday, Jan. 9, at 9 a. m. to Church of the Assumption, where high mass will be celebrated, thence by auto to Mount Carmel via I. C. R. R.; train leaves 12:15.

MASEK—Anna Masek, nee Tumpach, age 36, beloved wife of John Masek and fond mother of Jerome, Lumir, Ludmila, Frank, William, Blanche, and George Masek, and Mrs. Libbie Leedy. Funeral from her late residence, 3049 W. 26th-pl., Friday, Jan. 8, at 8:30 a. m. Automobiles to Bohemian National cemetery. Montana papers please copy.

NORDBERG—Matilda Nordberg, Jan. 6, 1915, beloved wife of Otto F. Nordberg, fond mother of Arthur W. Funeral service from late residence, 3117 Wilton-av., Sunday, Jan. 10, at 2 p. m., to Mount Greenwood cemetery by automobiles.

PHILLIPPS—Rev. T. D. Phillipps, formerly of this city, at Ireland, Dec. 31, 1914. Father of Edith, Louise, Edward, Frank, and Godfrey Phillipps, and Mrs. Wm. Mc-Grath.

ROILBERG—Henry A. Roilberg, Jan. 6, beloved husband of Christine, nee Quensel; father of Mrs. Amanda Fuller, Edward D. Roilberg, Mrs. Talitha Cooper, Lucien A., and Arthur. Funeral from his late residence, Harrison-av., near Grand-av., Mont Clare, Saturday, Jan. 9, at 1 p. m., by autos to Graceland cemetery.

SYNYER—Mrs. Mary Ann Synyer, Jan. 7, aged 85 years. Funeral services at the home of her daughter, Clarissa C. Hill, 819 S. Euclid-av. Oak Park, at 10 a. m. today. Interment at Rockville, Conn.

SOLOMON—Charles L. Solomon, beloved husband of Marie, nee Kerns; father of Frank, Irene, Isabel, and Walter. Funeral Saturday at 9:30 a. m. from his late residence, 3042 W. Adams-st., to St. Aloysius's church, by autos to Mount Olivet. For seats phone Brooks & Co., Yards 124.

UNGER—Rose Unger, beloved widow of the late Benjamin Unger, fond mother of Mrs. A. Schneider and Sidney Unger. Funeral Friday, Jan. 8, at 1 p. m., from Hamburg's chapel, 4649 Prairie-av., by automobiles to Rosehill cemetery. New York City papers please copy.

UNGER—Rose Unger, widow of Benjamin Unger, late member of Willing Workers society. Funeral Friday, Jan. 8, at 1 p. m. from Hamburg's chapel, 4649 Prairie-av. All members requested to attend.

UNDERTAKERS.

POSTLEWAIT, UNDERTAKER—"GOLDEN RULE" SERVICE AND "GOLDEN RULE" PRICES. 1867 OGDEN-AV. PH. WEST 250.

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FOR SALE—NO. 3, CINCINNATI PLAIN milling machine. Rumely-Wache Machinery Co., 121 N. Jefferson-st.

NO. 2 PLAIN MILLER, 30 IN. shaper, 26 in. B. & S. gear cutter, punch presses. ESSLY MACHY. CO., 561 Washington-blvd.

GAS AND GASOLINE ENGINES, ALL sizes, used and new. Ask for price list. COLBORNE MFG. CO., 157 W. Division-st.

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COLLECTORS, ATTENTION — ANTIQUE dishes, glass, bric-a-brac, pictures; other things; mornings; give offer. 504 W. 32d-st., 2d flat.

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POSTAGE STAMPS, COINS, ETC.

WANTED—TO BUY—POSTAGE STAMP COLlection; give number. Address P 81, Tribune.

PRINTING MACHY. AND SUPPLIES.

FOR SALE—2 GORDON PRESSES. ATLAS PRINTING CO., 416 S. Dearborn-st.

FOREIGN MAIL SCHEDULE.

FOREIGN MAILS WILL CLOSE AT CHICAGO POSTOFFICE AS FOLLOWS:

For Switzerland, Spain, Portugal, Turkey, Egypt, Greece, British India, Roumania, Belgium, and Africa, 7 p. m.

For Cuba, 5:30 p. m.

For Alaska, 9 p. m.

For Manitoba, British Columbia, and Northwest Territory, 9 p. m.

For Jamaica and West Indies, 12 p. m.

For Great Britain and Ireland, by S. S. St. Paul, Friday, Jan. 8, 11:45 a. m.

For Switzerland, Spain, Portugal, Egypt, Greece, British India, Roumania, Bulgaria, Servia, Italy, and France, also specially addressed correspondence for other countries, except Germany, Austria, and Turkey, by S. S. Niagara, Friday, Jan. 8, 11:45 a. m.

For Japan, China, and Corea, via Seattle, by S. S. Yokohama Maru, Friday, Jan. 8, p. m.

For Hawaii, via San Francisco, by S. S. Wilhelmina, Saturday, Jan. 9, 12 midnight.

For Panama, Canal Zone, Cauca and Narino Departments of Colombia, Ecuador, Bolivia, Peru (except Iquitos and Chile, via New Orleans, by S. S. Parismina, Monday, Jan. 11, 5:45 p. m.

For Hawaii, Japan, China, Corea, and Philippines, via San Francisco, by S. S. Shinyo Maru, Tuesday, Jan. 12, 12 midnight.

For Hawaii, Samoan Islands, and Australia, also specially addressed correspondence for New Zealand, via San Francisco, by S. S. Ventura, Saturday, Jan. 16, 8:30 p. m.

D. A. CAMPBELL, Postmaster.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

SITUATION WTD—BY YOUNG MARRIED man, German descent, master Mason, and for 7 years employed by large fire ins. agency, serving as collector, bookkeeper, chief clerk, and solicitor; willing to do anything in any line of work; future first consideration. Address D J 41, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER,

Capable of keeping full set of books neatly and accurately; age 24; 4 yrs. exper. general office duties. A 1 refs.; bond. Address P 56, Tribune.

Bookkeeper & Correspondent

Young, educated man; married; efficient executive; expert accountant and systematizer; understand costs, credits, and collections; no bad habits. Address O 102, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—MARRIED MAN; 30 years, desires connection with reliable concern; 8 years' sales department large mfg'g and supply company; fully acquainted with details of office and some knowledge of selling. Address O 342, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — CONDITIONS HAVE forced me to give up business in which I have been interested. Have had several years' office and selling experience; prefer small growing business; might invest. Address O 421, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—BOOKKEEPER, CHIEF clerk, manager; 23 years old; 7 years in present position; clean cut; responsible; strictly temperate; best references; good reason for change; married; Protestant. Address D H 66, Tribune.

Bookkeeper, Stenographer.

Thoroughly experienced, high class young man; best city references. Address P 431, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER & CASHIER,

Age 30; single; thorough accountant and collector; can give best of references; bond; A 1 references. Address P 440, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—BOOKKEEPER, CASHier, and accountant. American, age 39; 20 years' business; good penman; thorough; salary moderate. Bond. Address O 144, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — GROCERY CLERK; experienced on sales by phone; good at window dressing, care and sale of Water-st. stuff; willing to help in market; suburban position preferred; references. Address N 153, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—AMBITIOUS YOUNG man, 25, desires connection with reliable concern; office or outside work; 6 years' experience; fully qualified; moderate salary. Address P 159, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—THOROUGHLY COMPEtent office man, 8 years' office exp., 4 yrs. own employer, as cost clerk and asst. bookkeeper in candy factory. Age 25. Address P 496, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—GOOD BOOKKEEPER, cashier, and general office man; rapid and accurate at figures; good penman; best references; 6 years' exper.; age 28 years; moderate salary. Address O 300, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—AGE 28, GENERAL OFfice man; 4 yrs.' various exp.; 2 yrs.' university; good references; selling ability. Address P 59, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—PRINTING; 9 YEARS' experience; accurate estimator; familiar with work of all depts.; cost system and general office work. Address N 99, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—HIGH CLASS BOOKkeeper, age 30; 14 years' varied office exp.; capable, energetic; best ref. Address O 334, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EXP. FIRM INS. CLERK, 4 yrs. asst. bookkeeper, knows all German ref.; pref. real est. office. Address P 77, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—AS BOOKKEEPER AND cost clerk; 8 years' factory experience; years with last employer. Address P 506, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—BOOKKEEPER; OFFICE man; qualified to take charge; credits, coll.; best ref.; bond; mod. sal. Address P 168, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—MARRIED MAN, 28, collec., corres., and all around office experience; ambitious; reasonable salary. Address Q 100, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — EXPERT GROCERY clerk; 15 yrs.' experience; capable of managing and buying; first class references; in city or town. Address Q 217, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—GEN. OFFICE MAN, cost clerk, and bkkpr.; 11 yrs.' exp.; age 26; energetic, capable; A1 ref. Address O 450, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—IN DRUG STORE, APprentice; 2 years' h. s. graduate; 25 years old; anything but prescription. Address O 190, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—CAPABLE BOOKKEEPer, office, and credit man; 10 yrs.' best exp.; furnish A1 refs. also bond. Address O 819, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — HOUSE ATTORNEY; several years' bookkeeping exp. Address P 527, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—SHIPPING CLERK; 20 years with U. S. Express Co. Address O 859, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN, H. S. education, cashier and office exp.; $10. Address P 468, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN WITH 5 years' experience as bookkeeper and general office man. Address B T 81, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—IN OFFICE; YOUNG man already; H. S. graduate. Address N 565, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—AS ASSISTANT BUYER in underwear and hosiery; 10 years' experience; best of references. Address C 515, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG MAN, BKKPR. willing worker, good at figures. Address P 131, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — SHIPPING CLERK; exp. man, for country shipments. Address O 802, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—FIRST CLASS BOOKkeeper; 40 years of age. Address O 440, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD — YOUNG MAN, 18, wishes position in office where he can advance; sal. wtd., $10 wk. Address N 152, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—BOOKKEEPER, 5 YRS.' exp.; good ref.; $14. Address O 317, Tribune.

Accountants and Auditors.

SITUATION WTD—MANUFACTURERS; EUropean, 33, married; by large manufacturing concern, desires change; experienced costs, auditing, systematizing, general and departmental; efficient office manager; can push your work and help you to locate errors; can direct and obey; consideration only to first class concern offering permanency and opportunity to right party. Address N 286, Tribune.

Factory Cost Accountant,

30 years old, married; 8 years' experience, knowledge of pay roll, costs, timekeeping, and statistical work; executive will invest in installation; would consider leaving city; $100 to start. Address P 358, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—BY AN OLD ESTABLISHED wholesale grocery house as correspondent; age 30; married; will locate in Chicago; state salary expected. Address P 504, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—AUDITOR; 10 YEARS' experience; capable of managing and auditing; first class references; in city or town. Address O 232, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EXPERT GROCERY clerk; 15 yrs.' experience; capable of managing and buying; first class references; in city or town. Address O 217, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—CAPABLE BOOKKEEPer, assistant cashier, or office manager; 10 years' experience in all lines; connected with export, acctg., forgn. exchange, correspond., selling, and shipping; traveled near and far, east, west, and south; perfect in German, French, Spanish; good personality; clean record; willing to go abroad. Address P 371, Tribune.

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A man of considerable business experience, specially trained and highly recommended by the Director-General The National College of Secretaries, requires a position as right hand to busy executive. The Sandgield Bldg.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG BUSINESS MAN, 22 years old, with 15 years' experience in iron and steel business, various capacities, desires position as assistant to executive or as salesman. Well acquainted and can furnish best references. Address P 134, Tribune.

Printing Manager—Buyer.

Practical, thorough, well informed in all essentials; 15 years' connection; capable executive; excellent executive ability. Address L 204, Tribune.

PURCHASING AGENT

Or assistant of wide experience seeks opening; 15 yrs. with large corp.; highest refs. Address P 185, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—ADVERTISING MANAgr with growing concern offering best opportunity for young man with five years' experience in city, and sales management. Address P 202, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—PRIVATE SECRETARY; young man; 7 years in present position; good habits; good personal appearance; first class references; can start at once. Address D H 47, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—AS BUYER, SALESMAN, manager, or any other position that requires an honest, clean cut hustler. Phone Hyde Park 8068.

SITUATION WTD—A1 CREDIT MANAGER, collection corresp.; presently employed as head of credit dept.; college graduate; married; 28. Best references. Address L 86, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EXP. OFFICE MANAger; capable handling accts., credits, coll.; executive ability; ref.; bond. Address N 252, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—AS STEWARD OR MANager, by lady; 15 years' experience; hotel or restaurant; thoroughly exp.; bond and refs. O. K. Address P 426, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EXPERT DIEMAKER, new work; open for chance; best reference; leave city. Address N 229, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—AS GRAVEL WASHER manager, by a young man with nine years' exp.; refs. furnished. Address P 162, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—AS BUYER AND MGR. of housefurnishing dept. or variety store; reference. Address D J 17, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—PURCHASING AGENT will consider change; now with one of Chicago's largest firms. Address O 418, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—BOOK OR SHEET WRITer, young man, 21 yrs. exp. Address P 98, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Executives and Managers.

EFFICIENCY MAN.
Have several years' experience as Auditor for Sales Branch houses, and in organizing cost and production systems of large mfg. concern. Habits and ability A1. Age 37. Highest references. Address D H 14, Tribune.

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Position wanted as chief engineer. Are you interested in economy and good service? I will make a thorough inspection of your plant at my own expense and give you estimate on approximate saving. Experienced in elec. r. r., public service, and manufacturing plants; gas and reciprocating engines. Best of references. Address O 348, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—BUSINESS MAN HAVing been forced to retire on account of European conditions wishes to make connection at once; would prefer position as salesman or manager; can also handle traffic matters, including import and export; can furnish the very best of references from leading business men in this city. Will call and get in close touch for 20 years. Address O 579, Tribune.

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Twelve years' experience in preparing all kinds of advertising matter, catalogs, booklets, dyers, form and follow up letters; wide mercantile training; can handle correspondence, executive ability, initiative work, and systematizer; best of references. Address O 122, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—I CAN MANAGE A BARgain basement or a 5 and 10c store, or can assist buyer in dept. store; 8 years' merchandise experience; familiar with house furnishings, toys, china, glassware, notions, candy; have a good record and can furnish the best references; American; age 30; married; will leave city. Address P 133, Tribune.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

SITUATION WTD—A MAN WITH SIX YRS.' actual selling experience, possessing intelligence, ambition, and good personality, seeks position as salesman with good wholesale candidate business house which will co-operate with me in building up a permanent business that will be profitable to me both; excellent references as to honesty, ability, etc.; I prefer city work, but will travel when necessary. Address P 222, Tribune.

A COMER,

Age 23, high school education, possesses every requisite of a real salesman, is now employed in retail specialty experience, wish position on sales force of reliable firm, where earnest endeavor will be appreciated. Address O 531, Tribune.

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